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Confederates Are Honored By U. D. C. At Tuesday Dinner

The annual dinner honoring onfederate Veterans, their wives and widows of Confederate Veterans, was held Tuesday at 12 o'clock at the Scott Hotel on North Tennessee Street, with the Scott Dickson Chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy acting hostesses for the occasion.

Some thirty guests were present to enjoy the delicious repast, served at one long table and three smaller ones in the spacious, cool dining room of the Hotel. Bright red zinnias and Confederate flags were used to decorate the tables, and before the meal was served "Grace" was offered by Mrs. B. B. Evans, of Nevada, who is President of the Chapter.

Only two of the old Veterans were present for the dinner, these being L. J. Gainey of Anna and J. K. Preston of near Princeton. Widows of deceased veterans attending were Mrs. Lela Recer and Mrs. M. H. Garnett and the other guests besides the Daughters of the Confederacy were Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Harris, the former being Commander of the Dallas Confederate Camp No. 1863, Mrs. S. A. Hayden, Adjutant, and Mrs. A. S. Gordon, all being members of Chapter 6, U. D. C. of Dallas; Miss Hattis Preston, of near Princeton; Mrs. Walter Howell, Mrs. W. S. Farmer, Miss Mary Blanche Smith, Miss Ellen Shaver, Mrs. Virgil Stogdill, W. A. Kerby, B. B. Evans, J. M. Foster, W. C. Dysart, Wylie McKinney and Mr. Hurst.

The hostesses, who were members of the U. D. C. attending were Mesdames Tom W. Perkins, Wiley McKinney; J. E. Smith, J. J. Nash, B. B. Evans, Lawrence Lewis, W. A. Kerby, Willa Largent, J. M. Foster and J. A. Garrison.

Of the four surviving Confederate Veterans living in Collin County only two were able to be present at the dinner in their honor. They were L. J. Gainey of near Anna, who is 95 years of age, and J. K. Preston, 94, of near McKinney, who is 94. The two other Confederate Veterans, who were unable to attend, are G. M. Edwards, 97, of McKinney and J. F. Seigle of near Farmersville, who is 94.

Mr. and Mrs. Don O. Davis and son, Don Weaver, Mrs. H. L. Davis and Miss Carrie Jean Davis have gone on a motor trip through the Southern States. They plan to visit in Washington, D. C., before returning home.

ONE HUNDRED PERCENTERS

McKinney business houses, which are 100 per cent in the USO drive, are given below, signifying that all employes in each business house has contributed at least $1.00, the employer having matched the fund. Other names will follow from day to day, says A. H. Eubanks, Collin County U. S. O. Chairman:

Wilson Shoe Store.
Harris Funeral Home.
Marigold Beauty Shop.
Collin County Abstract Office.
F. W. Woolworth Company.
J. C. Penney Company.
County Tax Assessors-Collector Office.
County Attorney's office.
District Clerk's Office.
McKinney Post Office.
Central National Bank.
Collin County National Bank.
Tom M. Scott Insurance Company.
The Style Shop.
Carr's Ready-To-Wear Store.
Bone's Shoe Store.
Blue Bonnet Cafe.
Bridgefarmer's Jewelry Store.
All American Miniature Golf Course.
Basement Beauty And Barber Shop.
Taylor's Variety Store.
C. A. Turrentine Shop.
Dr. R. L. Davis Office.
Ted Sisco Office.
Local Draft Board No. 1.
R. L. Moulden Office.
Wilson Land Office.
Pat's Sandwich Shop.
C. H. Blewett, Magnolia Agent.
J. T. Elliott Lumber Company.
Daily Courier Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette.
Naomi Snider Dress Shop.
Bailey's Ready-to-Wear.
Thos. E. Craig Office.
W. G. Proctor Garage.
Hall Grocery.
Ray and Roberts Insurance.
E. F. Newsome Insurance.
Crouch Funeral Home.
F. B. Pope Office.
Leonard Ray Insurance Office.
Woods Cafe.
Hamilton-Patterson Motor Co.
Dr. L. E. Hoard.
Collin County Mutual Insurance Co.

Mr. Eubanks says that anyone not contacted in this worthy drive, should bring their contribution to him at the Central National Bank, or see one of the young business men engaged in the drive in the business district.

Downtown Street Parade Opens 42nd Collin County Confederate Veterans And Old Settlers Picnic And Reunion

The Midway Cafe carried off first prize for the best float entry in the parade and the Hugo Drive-In Lot received second prize for the next best entry.

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Winners in the Bicycle Division of the parade were: Billie Mae Clayton, First; J. L. Clayton, second, and Gill McMurry, Third.

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The largest and one of the most spectacular parades ever staged in McKinney moved through the streets Tuesday morning amid cheering crowds and flag-bedecked streets, and Chairman Clyde W. Clack and his assistants are receiving the praise of thousands.

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Patriotic Motif In Parade.

The patriotic motif was carried out throughout the long parade. The many floats entered by progressive merchants, all decorated with national colors or carrying flags, brought forth enthusiastic applause and cheers.

The parade started from Church and Virginia Streets with the McKinney High Schol Band blazing away with an inspiring march. Parade Marshal J. S. McKinney and Assistant Marshal Dick DeArmond rode proudly at the head of the procession on prancing steeds, followed assistant marshals.

Then came the city and county officials and officers of the Picnic Association in more decorated automobiles, followed by the city's fire-fighting apparatus jammed with hundreds of cheering youngsters. The greatest ambition of some of these children has always been to ride on a fire truck and Tuesday morning their dreams came true.

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Shetlands Prance In Parade.

As usual, the horse and Shetland pony divisions proved one of the most interesting in the long line of march. In charge of Chas. T. Bristol, the prancing Shetlands, ridden by proud young owners, both boys and girls, proved a feature. The fine horses, also entered, proved interesting to the onlookers.

The bicycles, like other divisions, carried out the patriotic theme, all being decorated in red, white and blue bunting, with American Flags on each.

The fast-thinning ranks of the Confederate war veterans was noticeable in this year's line of march, with only one of the four surviving veterans living in this county, able to be here, to be honored by the Picnic Association. The veteran, together with wives and widows of veterans, was paid honor not only in the parade, but at a dinner following, by the Scott-Dixon Chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy at the Scott Hotel.

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Mothers of Sons In Service.

An innovation in the parade this year, and one of the most impressive divisions of the line of march, was that devoted to Mothers of Collin County sons, who are in the military service of their country. This division, in charge of Jim Cantrell, assisted by J. W. (Swede) McMurry, held the attention and admiration of each spectator. The cars, bearing these Mothers, were designated, while each Mother proudly wore a badge, showing that she, too, is serving her country by having one or more sons in military service.

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McKinney High School Band.

The McKinney High School Band, nattily attired, and led by Prof. Stewart Jernigan, Director, stepped lively and with military precision as they marched in the parade, furnishing martial music for the line of march. They received merited tribute and applause from the spectators.

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With the McKinney High School Band blazing forth stirring martial music and led by attractive high-stepping majorettes, the big Street Parade moved through the business district Tuesday morning through flag-bedecked streets and amid cheering, enthusiastic crowds all along the line of march. It was one of the longest and most spectacular parades ever witnessed during the Confederate Veterans' and Old Settlers' Picnic and Reunion in McKinney.

Grand Marshal J. S. McKinney and Assistant Marshall Dick DeArmond and their Assistants rode on prancing horses at the head of the procession.

Immediately after the band came Mayor Tom W. Perkins, City Commissioner J. H. Snapp, City Secretary Frank Wolford and other City and County Officials in automobiles.

Outstanding decorated floats were those entered by the Junior Chamber of Commerce which carried out the patriotic motif and carried a large sign reading "Buy Defense Bonds," and another by the Midway Cafe which emphasized "God Bless America." Attractive entries were also seen representing:

Perkins Bros.
Louise Beauty Shop.

The Finney Bakery had five decorated trucks in the parade advertising Aunt Betty Bread. Other progressive local firms which took part in the procession were:

The Texas Company.
Massie Funeral Home.
Harris Funeral Home.
Crouch Funeral Home.
McKinney Motors.
Hugo's Drive In Lot.
Steve Wrecking Company.
George W. James.
Larsons.
Kever Furniture Company.
Cuffman and Allen.
Collin County Motor Company.
Yurown Gas Company.
Woodlawn Dairy.
Coca Cola Company.
C. J. Young, local distributor for Conoco products.
Ford Tractors and the Ford Motor ompany.
Leonards.

In the pony and bicycle division one boy had a basket fastened on the rear of his bicycle in which rode a cute little dog. Another odd feature was a little cart, pulled by a goat, in which three little girls rode.

The parade formed at Church and Virginia Streets and proceeded to the Public Square, and after circling the Square it went north on Kentucky to Lamar, East to Tennessee, and south to the Square again, and then to the Picnic Grounds, where brief ceremonies were held formally opening the Picnic-Reunion.

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Before a cheering, enthusiastic crowd at the Picnic Grounds Tuesday night, Jim Cantrell, District Clerk, and County Attorney Roland Boyd thrilled their listeners in two patriotic addresses that ranked among the most eloquent and sincere on "Americanism" ever heard in McKinney.

"Our Job" was the subject of Mr. Cantrell. He declared that the job of the American people is to defend our country and to check the spread of the hated Hitlerism throughout the world. He called attention to Hitler's own words of fifteen years ago, which he said gave a clear idea of the man's intentions to overrun the world and enslave its people, but "millions in Europe did not take him seriously, and as a result 200,000 people today in many European countries are enslaved. They do not know what freedom is and will not know until Hitlerism is completely abolished."

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Danger of Hitlerism.

Mr. Cantrell said "Our President, our Congress and the American people as a whole, are in favor of doing this job, so let us roll up our sleeves and get that job done." We can't accomplish it too soon, for the longer we wait the more countries will be subdued by Hitler and his Axis partners and the more millions will be enslaved."

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Fifth Column Activities.

Calling attention to the lack of morale in the Low Countries of Europe and the apathy shown by those peoples, which resulted in their downfall before Hitler's fifth colum activities and his boring from within, and contrasting those conditions with the conditions in Great Britain, which through civilian morale has the fortitude that is bound to win over the ruthless dictators, County Attorney Boyd likewise thrilled the audience when he told them it was not too late, "but we must strike now. We must so defend our Hemisphere and our outposts that Hitler nor any other scheming power-craved dictator will dare to molest us, either in North or South America."

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Hon. W. P. Abernathy Presides.

These two forceful patriotic addresses were delivered at the meeting of the Collin County Civilian Defense Council, of which Hon. W. P. Abernathy is President. Mr. Abernathy introduced both speakers and each spoke a little more than half an hour.

The McKinney High School Band rendered a number of inspiring patriotic airs during the meeting, directed by Prof. Stewart Jernigan.

This was the first of a series of meetings that will be held monthly during the present world emergency at eight points in Collin County, it was announced. The Tuesday night meeting was held simultaneously with several thousand similar meetings at the same hour all over the United States from Coast to Coast in celebration of National Defense Day, proclaimed by President Roosevelt.

The feeling was apparent among the great crowd that attended these meetings at the same hour all over the country and the correlation of thought on the same subject would have a telling psychological effect on the American people. When everyone in the land concentrates on an identical thought, it was pointed out by President Abernathy, the result will be far-reaching. It was in this same way that the civilian morale of the British people was bolstered and they were able to withstand the terrible air attacks of the Hitler hordes. It is not believed they could have ever stood up under such ruthless bombings and such a wholesale slaughter of their people had not this been the case.

Throughout the duration of the present National Emergency it is the wish of President Roosevelt that these patriotic rallies be held at regular intervals in every city and every county in the United States and as far as Collin County is concerned, this is the plan. Different speakers will be selected for each meeting and they will include Collin County's leading citizens.

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Following the formal opening ceremonies at noon Tuesday of the Confederate Veterans' and Old Settlers' Picnic and Reunion, Mayor Tom W. Perkins, who with Don W. Bagwill, Vice President of the Picnic Association, had welcomed the great throngs of visitors to McKinney, played informal host to the Mothers of the boys in military service. The Mayor and City Commissioner J. H. Snapp treated the ladies to ice cream cones which were very much enjoyed, as the thermometer stood around 90 at the time.

Another pleasant sidelight to the Picnic-Reunion was a gift of free carnival tickets to the 24 Boy Scouts who had helped the Jaycees in the aluminum drive Monday. The Hames Carnival Company gave the tickets to Chairman Clyde Doyle to be distributed among the boys.

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Sound Picture Shown.

An interesting feature of the rally was the showing of a sound picture by M. E. Wilson of Denton giving a graphic picture of events, starting with the first World War and coming down to date with the signing of the treaty of Cersailles, addresses by President Wilson and others and coming right up to date, showing some of the horrible results of bombings in the present war. The picture was named "The Last Stronghold," and was greatly enjoyed by everyone. It fit in perfectly with the splendid addresses delivered at the rally.

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McKinney and Collin County saw the county's newest Babyhood Crop Wednesday morning and it was one of the cutest sights ever seen in this city. There were so many sweet little babies in the Annual Baby Show that the judges had a most difficult time in selecting the winners. There were blonds, brunettes, red-heads, twins, ranging in age from two months to two years.

The judges were prominent women from all sections of Collin County.

The Baby Show was undoubtedly one of the steller features of the Annual Collin County Confederate Veterans' and Old Settlers' Picnic and Reunion, which started in McKinney Monday to continue until Saturday night, with something doing almost every minute. Mrs. O. S. Scott was in charge of the event.

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"McKinney Day" At Picnic.

McKinney, after viewing the Baby Show, went to the Picnic en masse. All of the business houses closed at noon and everyone took a half holiday. It was "McKinney Day" at the Picnic. What the McKinneyites enjoyed most of all was meeting new friends and renewing old acquaintances, who were here from far and near, some coming from Southern Oklahoma and others from many sections of North Texas. And as far as Collin County citizens were concerned, they were practically all here.

The W. H. Hames Carnival is holding full sway at the picnic and reunion. There will be a free aerial acrobatic performance by the famous dare-devil "Sky Lady." Miss Marjorie Bailey, who is presented each afternoon and evening by the Hames Shows.

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Light Crust Doughboys.

Wednesday night at 8 o'clock Genial Parker Willson was there with his well known Light Crust Doughboys, of radio fame. They put on a program of high class musical numbers and many musical novelties, featuring Dolores Jo, the 12-year-old sweetheart of the group, and a talented songstress, and the other performers, who have so often been enjoyed over the radio, Zeke, J. B., Bashful, Abner and Cecil, with Parker Willson Master of Ceremonies.

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High School Band Will Play.

Just before this entertaining program the McKinney High School Band, directed by Prof. Stewart Jernigan, gave a concert and will give another hursday night.

Prof. Jernigan has prepared a special program for the talented young musicians for this concert and it will be greatly enjoyed by everyone.

Tuesday night's feature of the Picnic-Reunion was the stirring patriotic rally at which addresses were delivered by District Clerk Jim Cantrell and County Attorney Roland Boyd. Hon. W. P. Abernathy, President of the Collin County Civilian Defense Council, presided, and patriotic music was furnished by the High School Band.

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Singing Convention.

Thursday night, after the High School Band Concert, will be held the Collin County Singing Convention, directed by R. F. Williams, President and E. L. Kissinger, Vice President of the Convention. In addition to the group singing, in which several thousand voices will be heard, there will be specialty numbers by quartets, trios and duets from Dallas, Fort Worth, Denton and other nearby points.

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Old Fiddlers.

The final musical treat will be the Old Fiddlers Contest Friday night at 8 o'clock, but throughout the afternoons and evenings for the remainder of the week, the Hames Shows will be going on with free aerial acrobatic acts twice daily. This a one of the largest carnival companies on the road and it took fifteen railroad cars to bring their performers and equipment to McKinney.

Howe Christian Church Extends Invitation

When people of one community decide to go calling on people of another community, it is always a sign of good fellowship and cordiality. An invitation has come from the Christian Church of Howe to the First Christian Church of McKinney to come up and visit them during their annual revival which is now in progress.

Thursday night of this week has been fixed as the occasion when this fraternal visit will be made. The Howe Christian Church is on the highway and on the East side and being an outdoor meeting will be easily found. The time of the services is eight o'clock and the evangelist is Rev. Chas. B. Holder from Alabama and the local Howe pastor an S. M. U. student. Rev. Alex. Moot is the song leader.

No promise has been made as to how many will go from McKinney, but, says Dr. Clifford S. Weaver, the pastor "I hope a goodly number will drive up to our neighboring little city Thursday evening. The trip affords a pleasant evening drive with an added objective.

The local First Christian Church has among its church officiary of Elders and Deacons former members of the Howe Church. The trip Thursday evening will be a fine gesture in friendship. Those expecting to go are requested to meet at the church Thursday evening at seven o'clock where available transportation will be for those who do not have cars, or who may not care for night driving. Especially are the young people invited and the caravan, whether it be large or small, will move under the direction of James M. Moudy, the assistant Pastor of the First Christian Church.

Music Plays An Important Part In Picnic-Reunion

Music will play an important part in the Annual Confederate Veterans' and Old Settlers' Picnic and Reunion this week in McKinney.

The High School Band, which played in the parade, under the direction of Prof Stewart Jernigan, and again at the formal opening meeting at the Picnic Grounds about noon Tuesday gave a concert uesday night with two more Wednesday and Thursday nights at the Picnic Grounds. These concerts, of course, will be free, and those who have heard the young musicians play regard this as one of the best High School Bands in Texas.

On Thursday night there will be still more music. The Annual Collin County Singing Convention will be held under the able direction of R. F. Williams, President of the Convention and E. L. Kissinger, Vice President. In addition to the thousands who will join in the singing, there will be a number of specialties by well known quartets, trios and duets from various points in Collin County and adjoining counties, according to Mr. Williams. The concert by the McKinney High School will precede the singing.

The final musical program of the week will be the Old Fiddlers Contest Friday night at the Picnic Grounds at 8 o'clock. Cash prizes will be awarded the best fiddlers and a grand time is anticipated. This contest will be open to all fiddlers, young and old, but the prizes will go only to the contestants residing in Cillin County.

Throughout the week, every afternoon and evening the W. H. Hames Carnival will be in full sway. In fifteen railroad cars the carnival arrived here early Monday and the tents and riding devices were up and running Monday night, starting with the free aerial acrobatic exhibition by Miss Marjorie Bailey, famous dare-devil "Sky Lady," which is a daily free feature attraction every afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Irving Kerby is a patient in the St. Paul's Sanitarium in Dallas. She recently submitted to an operation and has been critically ill. However, she is now improving. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kerby of this city visited her bedside recently. Mrs. Leon O. Moses of Austin also visited her. Mrs. Moses and Irving Kerby are the daughter and son of W. A. Kerby.

Russell Courtwright of Dallas was a business visitor in McKinney Tuesday. He is a nephew of J. M. Foster of this city.

MELISSA GOES "OVER THE TOP" IN USO DRIVE; MORE THAN $200 IS SUBSCRIBED

Melissa, progressive North Collin Community, is the first Collin County town to report 100 per cent in the USO drive in the county, says A. H. Eubanks, of McKinney, County USO Chairman. With their quota set at $200.00, LeRoy G. Richardson, Chairman of the committee there, reported to Mr. Eubanks early Wednesday that they had gone "over the top" and had raised $203.30, thereby winning the honor of being the first Collin County town to raise, and oversubscribe, their quota.

Mr. Richardson pays high tribute to his committee, who canvassed the business and residential districts of that town. Members of his committee are: LeRoy Richardson, Chairman; Clyde Robinson, C. L. Graves, Claude Robison and Joe C. Moore.

Mr. Richardson is also high in his praise of surrounding communities near Melissa for their assistance in their drive, including Chambersville, White Rock, Stiff Chapel ,and Valdasta.

IDEAL WEATHER PREVAILS AT ANNUAL PICNIC AND REUNION

Thanks to the weather man, McKinney is having ideal weather for the Confederate Veterans' and Old Settlers' Picnic and Reunion, which started Monday, to continue all this week. The temperature stood around 91 over the week-end and the forecast partly cloudy with the temperature reaching into the upper nineties, but there were no clouds visible. No rain is predicted, McKinney's visitors will be glad to learn, if predictions of Texas weather can be relied upon, and as far as the weather observer is concerned, they probably can.

At any rate the day started off clear and with a nice cool breeze blowing in the early hours, and by the time the big street parade started Tuesday it had warmed up a little, but it was still clear. The same brand of weather was forecast for Wednesday when the Annual Baby Show was held in the forenoon and it it was estimated more than three hundred little tots were here with their fond mothers and fathers to vie for the valuable prizes that are being offered by the progressive merchants of McKinney and by the Picnic Association itself.

60th Wedding Date Mr. And Mrs. T. A. Porter Observed

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Porter, a beloved elderly couple residing on South Wilcox Street, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary Sunday, July 20, at their home. At the noon hour, Mrs. Porter prepared and served a delicious luncheon to the following relatives; their son, Macon Porter and wife; their grandson, Rucker Porter, wife and daughter, Jacquelyn, of Sulphur Springs, and a long time friend, Rev. G. B. Airhart of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter are one of McKinney's most highly respected elderly couples ,who have made their home here many years. They are enjoying fairly good health for their advanced ages, being able to be up most of the time. They are receiving congratulations from a multitude of friends here and elsewhere on their recent wedding anniversary.

Mothers Of Collin Sons In Service Honored Tuesday

Thirty-seven Mothers of Collin County boys now serving their country in the various military branches were highly honored Tuesday in the mammoth street parade that marked the second day's program of the Collin County Confederate Veterans' and Old Settlers' Picnic and Reunion.

All of these Mothers, who have given their boys for a year or more service to their country, have at least one son each in some branch of the service, either in the Army, Navy, Marines, Air Corps, National Guard or Reserves, and a few of them had sent two or more of their sons off for training to defend their country.

Those who have two sons each in the service were:

Mrs. Jim Gay.
Mrs. D. W. Pinkerton.
Mrs. Ada Roland.
Mrs. S. J. Smith.
Mrs. Lucy Cole.

The other mothers, each of whom has one boy in the service of the United States were:

Mrs. Nora Allen.
Mrs. H. B. Randles.
Mrs. Annie Cowden.
Mrs. R. M. Emerson.
Mrs. H. J. Laird.
Mrs. H. H. Norwood.
Mrs. J. E. Frair.
Mrs. E. A. Rose.
Mrs. W. S. Straughn.
Mrs. G. W. Sullivan.
Mrs. Clarence Allen.
Mrs. P. L. Pittman.
Mrs. Kate Long.
Mrs. C. L. Alexander.
Mrs. J. D. Craft.
Mrs. R. V. Hammonds.
Mrs. Artie Scherter.
Mrs. Aaron Duncan.
Mrs. Jessis Faulkner.
Mrs. Joe Rodgers.
Mrs. E. L. Davidson.
Mrs. Marshall Burrow.
Mrs. Charlie Walters.
Mrs. Earl Dowlen.
Mrs. W. E. Wood.
Mrs. Jim Scott.
Mrs. J. C. Langston.
Mrs. Hattie Walls.
Mrs. Eula Jay.
Mrs. G. A. Press.

Arlington Golfers Defeat McKinney Players Sunday

About thirty members of the McKinney Country Club journeyed to Arlington Sunday and played a match game of nine holes with the golfers of the Meadowbrook Country Club of that city. The McKinney players lost the tournament.

President Jack Warden of the McKinney Club and Bill Bass, Chairman of the Golf Committee of the club, headed the local delegation. Many of them took their wives with them, and ladies of Arlington entertained them royally.

The Meadowbrook Club members will play a return match on the McKinney course Sunday, July 27, and the ladies who accompany them to McKinney will be entertained by prominent local ladies that afternoon.

McKinney Young Men Leave For U. S. Service

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Little and Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Foster entertained with a picnic at noon Sunday honoring their sons, Truman Little and Lewis Foster, who left Monday to be in the U. S. Air Corps. They will be in the Engineering Department.

Enjoying the picnic occasion besides the hosts and their sons, were Miss Jane Stalling, Miss Bessie Beene, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ragsdale, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Farley and son, Glen, Miss Grace Fields, Mrs. Alfred Allen and son, Alfred James.

For the past eight years Truman has held a position with the Allen Grocery & Market here while Lewis has been connected with his father, in trucking and moving business. The boys were both reared and educated here and they have the best wishes of a multitude of friends in their new line of work for Uncle Sam.

Miss Delotte Is Bride Of Jack Odle

Miss Joyce Delotte became the bride of Jack W. Odle at the parsonage of Rev. and Mrs. Robert H. Ridley on South Wilcox Street, Sunday morning, July 20, at 8:00 o'clock.

The simple but impressive ceremony was performed by Rev. Ridley and the presence of a number of friends and relatives of the bride and groom.

The bride was attractive in a frock of powder blue crepe with white accessories. Her shoulder corsage was pink carnations.

Both the bride and groom attended school in McKinney and are well known among the younger set here. We extend them hearty wisnes for success and happiness.

Carl Franklin Davis and Miss Dortha McLain were quietly united in marriage July 12 at 8 o'clock at the home of Rev. G. C. Ford, 1006 Hamilton Street. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McLain of this city, while the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Davis of Lucas. The couple have the best wishes of their many friends upon their marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sportsman of Refugio, Texas, stopped by for a brief visit with McKinney friends Tuesday morning as they were enroute to Hot Springs, Arkansas, for a two weeks' vacation. They formerly lived here and have a number of relatives and friends here.

Old Fiddlers To Be Here Friday Night For Contest

Cash prizes will be awarded in the Old Fiddlers Contest, the main feature of Friday's program of the Collin County Confederate Veterans' and Old Settlers' Picnic and Reunion. The contest will be held Friday night, July 25, starting at 8 o'clock and all who care to enter may do so, but only Collin County citizens will be eligible for the prizes. First prize will be $7.50; second, $5.00, and third, $2.50, according to L. G. Dickerson of Chambersville, Chairman in charge of this feature.

From 15 to 25 fiddlers are expected to take part. Mr. Dickerson said fiddlers of all ages may enter and play any tunes they may select. Such old-time melodies as "The Girl I left Behind Me," "Eighth of January, "Turkey In The Straw," "Arkansas Traveler," "Ragtime Annie," and many others will most likely be played.

Mr. Dickerson's son, Roy D. Dickerson, also of Chambersville, accompanied his father to this office to make announcement of this picnic feature.

Mr. Dickerson said that each fiddler will be allowed one accompanist, which may be a mandolin, guitar, banjo or another stringed instrument. This feature proves one of the bestdrawing cards of the annual picnic and reunion.

It is not necessary to register, the only requisite being that the fiddlers be on hand at 7:30 Friday night, so that they may be lined up for the contest.

Funeral Held Saturday For W. R. Crawford

Funeral services for Willie Rhea Crawford, former well-known resident of Southeast Collin, but who made his home in Dallas the past nine months, and who died Thursday morning at the Parkland Hospital in Dallas, were conducted at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Spring Creek Church, South of Plano. Interment followed in the adjoining cemetery.

Mr. Crawford was 38 years old. He was a well known and efficient carpenter and was an active member of the Methodist Church. He was born January 13, 1903, in the Indian Territory, now the State of Oklahoma. For a number of years, he lived in Wylie, but nine months ago moved to Dallas, his address there being 1511 Rowan Street. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crawford; his wife, Mrs. Etheline Crawford, and four children who live in Dallas. The children are: Truett Rhea Crawford, Mrs. Billie Weeden, Paula Jean Crawford and Betty Jane Crawford.

The Crouch Funeral Home brought the body to McKinney Thursday afternoon and it remained in the Crouch Chapel until Saturday morning, when it was removed to the Spring Creek Church.

Interesting Visit To El Campo, Tex.

Mrs. G. W. Moore, accompanied by her Mother, Mrs. J. H. Graves and sisters, Misses Mary Lou and Ruth Graves, of Melissa, have just recently returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Don Cleland at El Campo. Mrs. Cleland is the former Miss Elizabeth Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Moore of Melissa.

Before moving to El Campo the latter part of April, Mr. and Mrs. Cleland were both employed at the Wysong Clinic, in McKinney, Mr. Cleland being Laboratory Technician. He is now employed by the Government, doing Laboratory work in the hospital at Camp Hulen, at Palacios, Texas, where about 15000 soldiers are stationed. Mr. and Mrs. Cleland live in El Campo and he goes to his work each day at the Camp.

These ladies had a most delightful visit and while there attended the Baptist Encampment at Palacios, hearing Dr. George Truett preach on the morning of July 4. On their return trip they visited briefly in Austin and Waco.

Mrs. Loren Wilder has returned to her home at Alice, Texas after visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. Jesse G. Graves here. Her sister, Miss Marianna Graves, returned home with her for a two weeks' visit.

M. J. Klutts and wife formerly of Collin County, but who now reside at Vidor, Texas, are visiting home folks for a few weeks. They are visiting Mrs. Klutts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Copeland in Blue Ridge and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Klutts, who live on Route 4, McKinney. Mr Klutts has been attending the State University at Austin.

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Editorial Expression

To do more than your job indicates you are capable of a bigger one.

We will never parley, we will never negotiate with Hitler or any of his men.—Winston Churchill.

It's hot, and getting hotter. We are fortunate in having a Municipal Swimming Pool. Take a refreshing plunge in its cool and inviting waters.

The most optimistic man we know was the fellow who bought five of those inventions guaranteed to save 20 per cent of the coal bill, thinking that he would save buying coal altogether.—PBX.

The Weekly Democrat-Gazette is Collin County's oldest and largest weekly paper, the first issue coming out February 7, 1884, 58 years ago. It came out on Thursday, the present day of publication each week, and had twelve pages with eight columns to the page. The Weekly Democrat-Gazette now has the largest circulation in its history.

LET US NEVER GIVE UP.

In the face of the present world crisis, Uncle Sam is calling on us all to keep things moving at home. Let us rally to his aid and prove that we are good Americans. From Coast to Coast and border to border things are humming in the great task of preparing for National Defense.

Let us buy Defense Bonds and Stamps, give liberally to the USO to provide clean and healthy recreational facilities for our boys in the service. Let us help gather up the aluminum pots and pans and give them to Uncle Sam to make airplanes to defend our shores against possible attack.

Let there be no black-out of Democracy in the good old United States, the finest and freest country on this Earth.

SOVIET "SCORCHED EARTH" RETREAT POLICY.

It seems that the Soviet leaders are following the "Scorched Earth" policy, when forced to retreat before hordes of advancing Nazis. In fact, Soviet War News, a publication of the Russian Embassy in London, England, says that Premier Joseph Stalin's "Scorched Earth" policy is being carried out wherever Soviet forces withdraw, with nothing left behind to aid the Germans.

In one village such grain as could be carried away by railroad was removed from a granary and the rest was burned, the publication said. It added that milkmaids drove cows over fields of wheat and rye, and women with scythes cut down sheaves, while tractors and horse-drawn rollers destroyed standing crops.

Pigs which could not be moved farther east have been slaughtered, farm buildings and equipment demolished and wells filled in before the village and farm folk quit their land to fight on as guerrillas from the woods, the publication said.

One detachment of such irregulars was reported to have surrounded a farm taken over by the Germans, set the building afire and killed or captured the Nazis as they tried to escape.

OFFENSE AS BEST DEFENSE.

Undersecretary of War Patterson, in his speech before the Texas Bar at Dallas, pointed out that this country is profiting from the lessons of the European war and is building an army designed for offensive action, says the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. Germany has shown the world that offense is the best defense in modern war.

For that reason, Mr. Patterson urged that the American military machine be not hampered by restrictions as to where it should fight in the defense of this country. Congress, usurping the power of the army command, has arbitrarily taken over control of military strategy by enacting a law prohibiting the use of American troops outside continental United States and its possessions. This legislation was in conformity with the oratorical clamor that we should "keep our boys at home and defend our own frontiers."

The defense blunder, which Congress has applied to the disposition of the army, also extends to the popular attitude toward the defense program and emergency. This attitude is that America can afford to wait until she is attacked and then suddenly will become invincible. When a nation waits for a danger that is not yet obvious, it does not make an all-out effort to prepare against that danger. Psychology which refuses to consider that offense is nowadays the best defense has weakened immeasurably the armament program. There has been time wasted by strikes and other selfish concerns, and the people and Congress have refused to recognize the necessity for maximum effort.

The sole reason for the national defense program is the preservation of this country from foreign aggression. The point where aggression can best be stopped is a military problem, not one for Congress or the people. And an elementary proposition of modern war, proved by Germany, is that the best defense is offense.

The liberty of a people consists in being governed by

The world has never had a good definition of the word liberty.—Abraham Lincoln.

With malice toward none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right as God gives us to see the right.—Abraham Lincoln.

Editors, like all other people, have those days when it seems they are pulling up hill all day, nothing seems to go right. The writing fingers don't want to move and thoughts come few and far between. There isn't much to be done about it but battle it through and hope that tomorrow everything will be back to normal—as it usually is.—Lewisville Enterprise.

You can divide mankind into two classes, the laborers and the idlers, the supported and the unsupported, the honest and the dishonest. Every man is dishonest who lives upon the unpaid labor of others, no matter if he "wears a crown." All laborers should be brothers and should have equal rights before the world and before the law.—Robert G. Ingersoll.

CARGOES FROM CHINA.

More than a friendly gesture to China is embodied in the recently announced reciprocal trade agreement with Burma, through which most of our trade with China now passes, says the Dallas News. The Chinese not only are trying to import all the munitions and other war supplies they can from us but are making vigorous efforts to send us in return strategic materials that we urgently need. The shipments to us apply on the loans we have made to China.

From this country China has been buying flour, medical supplies, trucks and gasoline with the dollars we have lent her. In return, she is sending tungsten, antimony, tin, wool and wood oil. To facilitate her shipments to us, she has barred all exports over the Burma Road except those to the United Statees. Despite the bombing of Japanese airmen, these shipments are being maintained and Chinese shipments are arriving here in considerable quantities.

Her imports from us, plus the help we and the British are giving to stabilize her currency, the value of which Japan is trying to destroy, have greatly enhanced China's chance to hold out against further onslaughts Japan may make against her. With Japan held at a standstill in China, hard pressed financially at home and puzzled by the turn of events in Russia, the time may come soon when China can assume the initiative.

BIG PENSION CHECKS SENT.

The biggest number of old age pension checks in the five-year history of the Texas old age assistance act—144,354 representing $2,676,965 in cash—flowed into the mails Friday.

The July grants, averaging $18.54 per recipient, also the highest amount ever approved, were released by Director J. S. Murchison of the Public Welfare Administration upon receipt of matching funds from the Federal Social Security Board.

Mr. Murchison said that grants for six months in advance have been approved by the board in Washington and they will send the money a month at a time.

The director asserted delay in mailing July grants was occasioned by the Federal Board's consideration of a new operating plan for Texas, brought about by last-minute legislative approval of a bill conforming State laws to provisions of the amended federal act.

Last month the board mailed 139,370 checks averaging $18.50 each.

Mr. Murchison attributed the increase in pensioners to completion of examination of a backlog of applications and a recent legislative liberalization of eligibility qualifications.

The legislature also made an emergency appropriation of $1,750,000 a month for June, July and August to pensions, the money to come from revenues of the new $22,000,000 annual multi-levied tax bill.

A NAZI MISTAKE.

It will always remain the best joke made by the Democratic system that it provided its deadly enemies with the means of destroying it.—Joseph Goebbels.

Those are the words of the Nazi Minister of Propaganda as published in Der Angriff. In one short sentence they sum up the opinion of Hitler and his brigands about free people. They proved they were right in the case of France, Czechoslovakia, Greece, Norway and a host of other independent nations. The British proved more stubbborn. But Germany is banking on indecision and disunity in the United States to prevent full aid from reaching Great Britain, without which it cannot long hope to continue the war.

Doctor Goebbels is right. The greatest danger to the United States, the last major democratic power not yet touched by the war, lies in its heritage of freedom of speech and press, the tradition that each citizen has a right to think as he pleases, the idea that minorities—even dangerous ones—should be given every opportunity to express themselves.

But the German idea goes further than that. The Nazis are confident that we in the United States are too comfortable and sleek and lazy to unite in a policy that would mean sacrifice and suffering. Having achieved unity themselves through a combination of controlled press and radio, minority persecution and the use of force against those who refused to capitulate, the Nazis cannot conceive of unity without these things.

The Germans have been wrong before. The late Kaiser Wilhelm under-estimated the courage and decision of the people of the United States in 1917. It led to his downfall.

It is true that the United States took an uncomfortably long time about awakening to the realization of the Nazi danger. Minority groups did delay all-out aid to Britain. Some labor factions, capitalists, politicians and others listened to the voice of Hitler through his stooges until the last moment.

That time is past. The last few weeks have shown amazing strides in production. More important, it is clear that the administration is fully awake to the perils of a Nazi victory, and the people are fast falling into line behind the President. Unity is being achieved in the democratic way.

If the time arrives when the United States must accept its full part in the war, Hitler will find the manpower of 130,000,000 people, backed by the greatest national resources and productive capacity in the world, in opposition. They will work and fight as free men. They will play their parts without fear, fortified by their knowledge that they sacrifice for a just cause—the cause their forefathers fought and died for more than 150 years ago.—The New Age.

Every desire is the prophecy of its own fulfillment.

Truth crushed to earth springs spontaneously upward, and whispers to the breeze man's inalienable birthright.—Liberty.—Mary Baker Eddy.

The only liberty I mean, is a liberty connected with order; that not only exists along with order and virtue, but which cannot exist at all without them.—Edmund Burke.

Every man should have a two-car garage. When a housing shortage arrives he can rent out one half of his garage.—Greensboro (Ga.) Herald-Journal.

The gallery that watches a steam shovel in action nowadays depends upon the amount of shade protecting the spectators.—Greensboro (Ga.) Herald-Journal.

With the invasion of Russia by Hitler we have the Nazis and the Communists fighting each other. This is as it should be, it seems. Let's hope that they keep it up till they are both worn out. We can think of nothing that the world needs less of today than these two isms.—Lewisville Enterprise.

A staff of 7,000 to 10,000 instructors is being organized by the WPA to conduct naturalization classes for an estimated 5,000,000 alien residents on the theory that persons who do not understand the United States constitution, its form of government, and the English language are most easily made the dupes of foreign propagandists. The WPA and the Department of Justice hope to train a million aliens a year to qualify them for citizenship in this country.

THIRSTY SOLDIERS DRINK MUCH WATER.

Men with a thirst for water are the soldiers in the American army. They drink more than 15,500,000 gallons of water hourly, requiring more than 1,717 miles of piping to supply them, the War Department discloses.

To maintain the flow of water to the armed forces in 133 army posts, stations, camps, and gneral hospitals in the United States, various methods are employed. One is sucking up water from underneath the Mojave Desert.

Most of the water, however is drawn from filtered reservoirs of municipal plants. The army has also erected elevated storage tanks with a total capacity of 78,117,700 gallons to assure an all-around supply capable of meeting all kinds of emergencies.

Some of the water is drawn from wells newly dug by army engineers. These wells are carefully supervised, and every precaution is taken, including chlorine treatment, to insure the purity of the water. To make doubly certain, the army has a crew of highly trained chemists to conduct analyses of the water at regular intervals.

Although digging for water under the Mojave Desert would seem a hopeless task, the War Department said that the army tapped down 524 feet and found a lake. Pipes now pump the water to the soldiers at the rate of approximately 225 gallons a minute.

CHEMURGY URGED AS TEXAS NEED.

Texans must back chemurgy or agriculture in the State will fail, Victor H. Shoffelmayer, Agricultural Editor of the Dallas News, told Denton Rotarians in a recent address. Lynn Landrum, News columnist, spoke of the need for using "what God has given us" in a plea for tamped earth buildings.

"Five-dollars-an-acre sandy land in Texas will grow 200 bushels of sweet potatoes which through dehydration in terms of feed value are equivalent to 70 bushels of corn," Mr. Shoffelmayer said. The average acre-yield in Texas is 16 bushels of corn compared to 50 bushels in Iowa. With this yield, how can we compete with Iowa beef and hogs?"

Paying tribute to the sweet potato experiments of Gilbert Wilson and the work of Denton toward establishing a dehydration plant, Mr. Schoffelmayer pointed out that chemurgy of the yam fills the need for a high vitamin food for humans and cattle. He also suggested sending this concentrated food to England by airplane.

"Without help during the past seven years, the farm people of the state would have been completely bankrupt," he said. "Texas cotton depends on foreign markets and this year, ending July 31, the state won't export more than 500,000 bales. Normally we export 4,500,000 bales.

"The East Texas oil field has given the people of that section a sense of false security—farming has not been taken very seriously since oil was discovered in 1932. I don't know what would have happened to East Texas had the oil field not been discovered."

Mr. Landrum said that tamped earth houses have every advantage, being cool in summer, warm in winter and cheap to build. "The sooner we Texans learn what the earth means to us, the better off we will be," he said.

EDUCATION IN AIR-RAID SHELTERS.

News of heartening strides in maintaining education has come from England, even as the blitz dislocates many normal activities, says "The New Age." Air-raid shelters have been found to be excellent locations for schools and, in East and Central London, around 350 classes have been established in basements and holes in the ground.

In the ample basement shelters, for example, lecture work is being carried out by the ministers and members of a Methodist congregation. Another interesting development is the teaching of English to foreign refugees, who came to England in great numbers following the invasion of the Low Countries and the collapse of France. Instruction in mechanics and mathematics is popular now, and the demand for books from borough libraries is heavy Reading, quite remarkably, is generally on the increase. Libraries are now in existence in most large shelters, and it is interesting that older people are now engaged mostly in a "Post War Planning" study and learning the background of the present war, rather than demanding escapist literature.

An amusing illustration is the story of a British workman who, some weeks ago, was brought up in court, charged with being drunk and disorderly. His plea was a startling one. In the pub he had had an "argument" with a friend about philosophy. "We talked about Socrates and Plato," he told the judge, "and were just getting on to Pythagoras when the trouble started."

This rather surprising line of defense might have been considered wholly unconvincing were it not for the growing interest in serious literature which this war has stimulated all over Britain. Soldiers at isolated batteries, sailors who stay long hours at sea, airmen kept constantly on the alert, civilian defense volunteers who sit up through the night on watch—all are demanding books that will last them a long time, books with depth enough to focus their attention, books to stimulate thought. From the life of action has come a rebirth of the life of the spirit.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

Monday, July 17, 1916.

Judge M. H. Garnett was a Sherman visitor today.

Misses Celeste and Vernice Jones were Dallas visitors today.

Mr. and Mrs. Add G. Wilson are spending the heated season in Cool Colorado.

District Clerk A. S. Wheatley was a business visitor in Celina today.

Mrs. S. Quesenbury has returned from a most pleasant visit to her daughter, Mrs. Bonner White, at Sherman.

Judge John W. Pope, of Dallas, was a McKinney business visitor today. He is a son of Dr. W. B. Pope.

Judge John Church has been confined to his home for a few days by a slight attack of illness.

Dr. E. L. Burton has gone to New York to study his profession. He will be gone until the 20th of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Parris and little daughter, Marion Wilson, of Dallas, were the guests of relatives here Saturday night and Sunday.

Prof. Frank H. McMurray has just returned from Commerce, where he received his permanent certificate and has been given the position of Principal of the public schools of Ladonia.

W. M. Hynds, Formerly of this city, but who now resides at Durant, Oklahoma, is reported to be quite sick. His daughter, Mrs. James H. Merritt, of this city, has been attending his bedside the past few days.

Rev. E. B. Fincher, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church of McKinney, is remembered by his friends and admirers, by being presented with a new five-passenger Ford for his own personal use. It was given by his members and friends in McKinney and Collin County in appreciation of his good work.

Tuesday, July 18, 1916.

Prof. G. C. Taylor of Weston was here yesterday on business.

Jim Dugger of the Mt. Zion Community was a business visitor in McKinney today.

Mrs. Harve Blassingame died at her home near Wylie Sunday night. She was the Mother of fifteen children, thirteen living.

J. C. Moore, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George Moore of this city, who submitted to an operation a few days ago is reported to be getting along nicely.

This is the last week of the Collin County Summer Normal. Examinations will be given next week. Prof. A. M. Blackman of Plano is conductor.

The tax rate has been reduced. The rate for Collin County: County, 19 cents; road and bridges, 15 cents; the jury 3½ cents, making a total of 37½ cents on the $100.00 valuation.

Mrs. Loren Goddard and daughter, Genevieve, returned to their home in Fort Worth after a visit to reltives in McKinney. They were accompanied by Mrs. O. M. Goddard and little grandson, Marshall.

Gootsie, little 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Rape, who live near Blue Ridge, happened to a very painful accident one evening recently. The little girl was holding a piece of wood, which her playmate was trying to split with a hatchet, and he made a stroke that severed one of her fingers from the hand.

Wednesday, July 19, 1916.

Mrs. Walter Shain, of the New Hope Community, is quite sick.

Boyd Morgan was here today from Culleoka.

Walter Hand, of near Rhea's Mill, was here this morning en route to Dallas.

The big two-day annual picnic will be held at Plano August 17 and 18. Music will be furnished by the Altoga Band.

Finis Wilson, an extensive farmer of near Honey Grove, was a guest of his cousin, Walter B. Wilson, in McKinney last night.

Editor John Custer, of the Plano Star-Courier, was a business visitor in McKinney yesterday.

C. A. Turrentine, the expert workman in Scotty's Shop, is making a mammoth refrigerator for Willie Commons of Wylie. It will hold 750 dozen eggs.

Fred H. Reese, assistant business manager of the Daily and Weekly Farmersville Times, was a business visitor in McKinney today.

T. J. Sheppard of Corsicana Texas, has bought the fine gin plant and outfit at Dump, three miles from Wylie from E. F. Wilkerson of Arlington. It is a $10,000.00 plant.

Wilson Bush, 20, son of M. L. Bush, died at the family home in Bellevue, Texas, yesterady. Interment was made in the Rowlett Cemetery. The deceased was a nephew of J. R. Herndon of this city.

Thursday, July 20, 1916.

Bud Ray of Altoga was a business visitor today.

Harry White was a visitor to Dallas yesterday.

Mrs. M. S. Metz and little son, Hill, were Dallas visitors today.

Ed McTee of Fitzhugh Mill was here this morning en route to Dallas.

W. T. Dunn was a business visitor in McKinney from Altoga yesterady.

J. E. B. Gambrell, rural carrier on Route 3, out of McKinney has recently moved with his family to McKinney from Josephine.

L. C. Johnson, Agent for the M. K. & T. of this city, reports his company is enjoying a good business.

Leonard Searcy of this city has recently received a diploma from the Metropolitan Business College of Dallas. He graduated in bookkeeping

Mr. Chrissman, an expert decorator of Dallas, was in McKinney yesterday, making contract to decorate some automobiles and floats for some of the McKinney merchants.

The Collin County Mill & Elevator Company will soon install a powerful searchlight at the big mill building. It is their intention to get it up before, August 2, 3, and 4. The serchlight will be 100 feet from the ground and will throw rays of light for about 15 miles .The light will automatically revolve frequently.

(Saturday, July 22, 1916.)

The County Odd Fellows Association will meet at Farmersville July 28.

Mrs. Robert Love and little son, Robert, Jr., have gone to Amarillo for a visit to relatives.

Worthy and Mallow just sold two new Dodges to Steve Shipman of Climax and Jess Marr of Melissa.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blackwell of Cottage Hill Community have a baby girl stopping at the house.

Mrs. O. C. Harris of Chambersville was a visitor in McKinney today. She renewed her Daily which she sends to her Mother Mrs. Jess Orenduff, near Melissa.

Rev. M. F. Wheeler of McKinney has been appointed District Manager for the Homestead for the territory including Grayson County.

Mrs. Fannie B. Wollen, died at her home at Altoga Wednesday morning. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Geo. Craft, of Altoga. Burial was made in the Altoga Cemetery Wednesday afternoon.

This is election day and at 5 o'clock there were only 530 votes polled in the McKinney box. The Daily Courier-Gazette has a bulletin board on the West wall of the L. V. Graves store and will post election returns immediately after the polls close at 7 o'clock.

John W. Field 80 years old died last night at his home in Dallas. He is survived by one daughter, two sisters, Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Luther Dulaney of McKinney, and one brother James W. Field of McKinney. Burial will be made at Marshall, Mo.

Friday, July 24, 1916.

Mrs. Will Edwards and Miss Edna Edwards were visitors in Dallas today.

Lee West of Princeton was a business visitor in McKinney this morning.

R. M. Rimer of Beaumont is in McKinney on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pfaff.

Misses Maud and Bain Wood of Chambersville were visitors in McKinney today.

Miss Margie Greenwood has gone to Sherman to visit friends.

Mrs. H. R. Chaddick and daughters, Misses Nauby and Gladys, were Dallas visitors today.

T. B. (Ben) Wilson and wife of Princeton, arrived in McKinney last evening from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Martin of Graham, Texas.

Joe Burger has gone to Kansas to help thresh out the wheat crop in the Sunflower State. Mrs. Burger and child will join him in Kansas next week.

Tony McDonald, who had been at Paris, Texas, for the past few days buying mules and horses for the government, passed through McKinney Thursday afternoon en route to San Antonio on business.

Descendants Of Salathial Coffey Hold Fourteenth Annual Reunion Sunday At Finch Park; S. P. Coffey Is President

Finch Park in McKinney was the scene Sunday of the annual Coffey Family reunion, when large numbers of the family, descendants of Salathial Coffey, gathered at that natural McKinney playground for the fourteenth annual reunion. Members of the family gathered during the morning, enjoying a period of conversation until the dinner was spread at noon.

The delectable meal proved tempting to the large number of family members and guests present. Following the noonday meal, everyone gathered in the bandstand, where Cecil Richards of Allen, great-grandson of Salathial Coffey, presided over an interesting session, in which everyone was given an opportunity to speak.

Minutes of the preceding meeting were read by Mrs. Frank Orr of McKinney.

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Officers Named.

Officers were elected to serve this large family association another year, as follows: Sterling P. Coffey of McKinney was elected President and Miss Hallie Coffey, his daughter, was elected Secretary.

Mr. Coffey and Mrs. J. S. Liggett of Bellevue, Clay County, are the only surviving children of Salathial Coffey and wife. He is the father of Fred Coffey, McKinney druggist and Miss Hallie Coffey. Mrs. Liggett, lovingly known as Aunt Nancy Jane Liggett, past 90 years of age, was unable to attend the reunion.

Two bouquets were presented the oldest and the youngest persons at the reunion, going to S. P. Coffey, the newly-elected President, and Ramsey Melugin, fine 8-months-old son of Rev. and Mrs. Kermit Melugin of Lubbock. Mrs. Melugin is the former Miss Elizabeth Coffey, daughter of Homer Coffey, living East of McKinney.

Cards and letters were read from Mrs. Liggett of Bellevue and Dr. John Coffey and wife of Hadley, Texas, expressing their regret at being unable to attend.

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Pioneer and Respected Family.

Many of those present have attended all fourteen of the Coffey family reunions, two of them, Gabe Kerby and Walter Holland, mentioning the fact in addresses during the family gathering. Walter Dillon Holland, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holland, is the youngest member of the family and has attended all reunions, being the youngest attendant at the reunion fourteen years ago.

The Coffey family is an old and honored one, whose history is closely linked and interwoven with the early-day history of Collin County and this section of the State. Salathial Coffey, founder of the family, and wife came to Texas in 1855, six years before the outbreak of the Civil War, from Russell County, Kentucky. They first settled near Wetsel. It is interesting to note that the Coffey family dates back through the history of the nation to the Revolutionary War.

The Coffey family reunion, annually one of the largest attended family reunions in the county, is always held the Sunday immediately preceding the opening of the annual picnic and reunion.

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Many Cities Represented.

Kirby Garrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Garrett, Collin County soldier boy, who is stationed with Co. F., 143 Infantry, Camp Bowie, Brownwood, Texas, was present, making a special trip here over the week-end for the family reunion. His brother, T. C. (Buddy) Garrett, wife and daughters, of Dallas, were also present. T. C. Garrett, a former McKinney boy, is salesmanager of the Schoellkopf Company of Dallas.

Allen: Mrs. M. Whitenant, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Leach, Winfred Leach, Mrs. A. W. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Richards and Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bridges, Miss Leona Richards, Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Richards and son.

Dallas: Mrs. Frank Allen, Mrs. J. C. Parr, Jr., Houston, Sallye and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bridges, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Garrett, Myra Jean and Patsy Ruth; Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Picard and Dora Lee, Mrs. C. C. Martin.

Lawton, Okla.: F. C. Dickens.

Ardmore, Okla: Mrs. Wood Horndon, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Coffey, Mrs. Lillie Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Coffey.

Wylie: Mrs. Leona Parr, Miss Lucille Parr, Norris Curtiss.

Fairmersville: Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Herby, Mary Ann and Catherine; Misses Wynelle Henselee and Doris Melver.

Lubbock: Rev. and Mrs. Hermit Melugin, Ramsey and Joe Reed.

Camp Bowie: Kerby Garrett.

Paducah, Texas: Mrs. W. J. Ledbetter, Mrs. L. V. Anderson, Richard and Marjorie.

Fort Worth: Mrs. H. C. Ledbetter.

McKinney: Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Dungan, Billy, Carol, Jo Ann and Mickey; Betty Snapp, Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Kerby and Martha, Edd Coffey, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Hedgcone and Betty Jane, Dan W. Bagwill, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Orr, Mrs. W. C. Gray, Rev. R. L. LeFevre, Mrs. F. W. Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walker and Gay, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coffey, Doris and Dorothy, Rev. James M. Moudy, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Will Spurgin, Wylie McKinney, Bob Bowman, Mrs. W. C. Thurman and Charles, Will Wright, C. M. Coffey, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Goforth and son, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Pharr and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Presley Shipman, Ronaldy and Garry; Miss Nell Kerby, Mrs. Clifford Thomas and Clifford, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kerby, Ada Catherine and Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Board, Mr. and Mrs. Giles McKinney, Tully B. Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Garrett, Miss Vira Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dungan, Lavuda Snider, Mrs. S. E. Walker, Mrs. J. W. Atterbury, Jr., and Arnetta, Jackie, Joe and Eustace; Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Dungan, S. P. Coffey, Miss Hallie Coffey, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holland, Carolyn and Dillon; Mr. and Mrs. Homer L. Coffey, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Coffey and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Dickens.

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The day was happily spent, as relatives and friends gathered again at this annual event, which is eagerly anticipated. Two States were represented, both Texas and Oklahoma. A large number of the Coffey family live in Ardmore, Lawton and other points in that State, and they always take advantage of the occasion by coming back to McKinney for these annual events.

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Dates of Coffey Family Reunion.

Dates of Coffey family reunions, since they were originated in 1928, follow:

First—September 13, 1928, Finch Park, Orlia J. Moss, Presiding.
Second—July 28, 1929, Finch Park.
Third—July 20, 1930, Finch Park.
Fourth—August 2, 1931, Finch Park.
Fifth—July 31, 1932, Finch Park.
Sixth—July 30, 1933, held at the City Coliseum (on account of rain.)
Seventh—July 22, 1934, Finch Park.
Eighth—July 21, 1935, Finch Park.
Ninth—July 19, 1936, Finch Park.
Tenth—July 25, 1937, Finch Park.
Eleventh—July 24, 1938, Finch Park.
Twelfth—July 23, 1939, Finch Park.
Thirteenth—July 21, 1940, City Coliseum (on account of rain.)
Fourteenth, July 20, 1941, Finch Park.

Billy Snider recently went to Denton to enter the summer session of the NTSTC. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Hester Snider of this city and the grandson of Rev. and Mrs. J. Ben Snider. After attending the summer session, he will enter the school for the fall semester.

Dr. Clifford S. Weaver, Pastor of the First Christian Church, returned home Thursday after spending a week with his sister, Mrs. W. P. Claypool and family in Houston. He reports having had a very enjoyable trip.

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McKinney Is Host Wednesday To N. Texas A. A. U. Meet

Several hundred boys were in McKinney Wednesday from Dallas and many other Texas points to participate in the North Texas Boys' Swimming Meet, sponsored by the A. A. U., which was held at the Municipal Swimming Pool in Finch Park here late Wednesday afternoon and night. There were contests for swimming and diving for boys up to 17 years old, and medals were awarded the winners.

Henderson Malone, Pool Manager, and Mrs. Sally B. Holcomb, Swiming Instructor, supervised the meet.

A practice meet was held here a week ago and the McKinney boys who took part acquitted themselves creditably. More than a hundred boys came from Dallas and many others from Fort Worth, Denton and as far as Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom E. Davis and young son, Tommy, Jr., of Jacksboro spent Friday as guests of Mr. Davis' sister, Mrs. A. H. Eubanks, Jr., and Mr. Eubanks. Their daughter, Pat Davis, who had been here the past week, returned home with them.

Personals

Capt. J. A. Benton, of Wylie, Flotorial Representative of Collin and Grayson County in the State Legislature, was greeting friends in McKinney Thursday. He called on the Editor of these papers. We were glad to see him, as we always are.

Miss Virginia Hankins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hankins, who live on South College Street, was taken to the McKinney City Hospital Thursday in a Harris ambulance and is undergoing medical treatment.

A surprise dinner was given Mr. and Mrs. John Lanier Sunday in observance of their 58rd wedding anniversary which was Saturday, July 5. All of the children brought well filled baskets and lunch was spread under the shade trees. Mr. and Mrs. Lanier were surprised and delightfully happy over the affair. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Oren Lanier of Prosper; Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hunter and family; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lanier and family; Mr. and Mrs. Houston Lanier of Dallas; Bennie Lanier of Camp Bowie, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Covington and family; J. K. Renfro of Caldwell, Kansas; Lazelle Trammel and Louis Tendel of Paris, Mrs. Banty Hammonds and baby Cherry of McKinney.

Ohioans Seized for Slaying

Nicholas Wilson

Mrs. Dorothy Wilson and son

Hunted in connection with an Ohio murder, Nicholas Wilson, 42, and his wife, Dorothy, are shown in Seattle, Wash., where they were arrested and held for Ohio authorities. The two were traced from Jefferson, O., and are accused of the slaying of Wilson's mother, Mrs. Catherine Nemic, 62.

Safe After Sea Torpedoing

Ruth Martin, Shirley Ralph, Lavenia Fulton and Lillian Evans

Safe in London after their ship was torpedoed en route to England, four nurses connected with the Harvard unit of the American Red Cross are pictured strolling down a street. Two nurses were unreported on this ship sinking and five others missing in another Atlantic sinking attributed to a submarine. The nurses above, left to right, are Ruth Martin of Washington, D. C.; Shirley Ralph of New York, Lavenia Fulton of Amherst, Mass., and Lillian Evans of Cambridge, Mass.

Representative from Alabama

Carter Manasco (right) of Alabama is congratulated by Speaker of the House Sam Rayburn after Manasco took oath of office to fill the seat left vacant by death of Speaker William B. Bankhead. Manasco was Bankhead's secretary.

BUSINESS AT THE TEMPLE OF JUSTICE

DISTRICT COURT NEWS.
Hon. Tom Suggs, Judge.
Jim C. Cantrell, Clerk.
Mrs. Scott Abernathy, Deputy.
Roland W. Boyd, County Attorney.
Dwight Whitwell, Assistant.
Miss Jessie Craft, Assistant.

New Suits.
W. M. Pearson vs. Mary Ellen Pearson, divorce.
Earl Oliver vs. Mildred Oliver, divorce.

COUNTY COURT NEWS.
H. H. Neilson, Judge.
W. C. Nagy, Clerk.
Clyde Cunningham, Chief Dep.

Cases Disposed Of.
David Paul Christie, charged with resisting arrest, fined $25 and cost, amounting to $46.85.
Clay Morgan, charged with carrying a pistol, fined $100 and cost, amounting to $134.10.
?Clay Morgan, charged with aggravated assault, fined $35 and cost, amounting to $51.10.
Isiah Turner, charged with edultry, fined $100 and cost, amounting to $124.85.
William Benjamin Long, charged with driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated, fined $50 and cost, amounting to $74.70.
Jake Starnes, charged with possession of liquor for purpose of sale, sentenced to six months in jail and to pay cost of suit, amounting to $27.10.
J. C. Eoff, charged with driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated, fined $50 and cost, amounting to $74.45.
Jake Starnes, charged with sale of liquor and to pay cost of suit, amounting to $24.10.
Jake Starnes, charged with sale of liquor, sentenced to 30 days in jail and to pay cost of suit, amounting to $30.65.
Fred Hall, charged with transporting liquor, fined $150 and cost amounting to $176.70.
Sallie McGuffin, charged with possession of liquor for purpose of sale, sentenced to eight months in jail, and to pay cost of suit, amounting to 32.05.
Odell Brown, charged with aggravated assault, sentenced to 30 days in jail and to pay cost of suit, amounting to $29.15.
Amos Keys, charged with swindling by worthless check, fined $5 and cost of suit, amounting to $27.25.
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C. M. Sims, charged with possession of liquor for purpose of sale, fined $150 and cost, amounting to $185.85.

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Probate.
Mae Odle has made application for guardianship of Elie B. Odle.
Mrs. Mae Moffett Walden has made application for appointment as tempoary guardian of Clayton Ray Walden, et al, minors.

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Marriage License.
Jack M. Odle and Grace J. Delattle.
Ernest Scruggs (col.) and Levada White.
Marvin W. Tuley and Addie Barnes.
Donald H. Wiese and Mae L. Logan.
Andrew J. Floyd and Allie Louise Elliott.
F. P. Shrader and Mrs. Artie W. Vardy.
Geo. Lee McAdams and Aline Hall.

JUSTICE COURT
Hon. Clyde Doyle, J. P.
W. A. (Will) Kerby, Constable.
Floyd Williams, Deputy.

The constable's department has made the following arrests during the past week:
Two for drunkenness; one for affray.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT
W. E. Sutton, Sheriff.
Dan Rike.
Roy Hays.
A. G. Sparlin.
Enel Ford.
Deputies.

The sheriff's department has made the following arrests during the past week:
Two for disturbance; two for drunkenness; one for abusive language.

Personals

Jess Morris of Greenville greeted friends in McKinney Tuesday. He called on us. Fine man. Always glad to see him.

Mrs. Henry Hensley and daughter, Miss Sewilla Hensley, of Dallas, spent last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mitchell at their home, 802 Parker Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown of Wichita Falls and little granddaughter, Gertrude Brown, were recent visitors in McKinney, guests of their brothers and sister, C. A., Corbin and Herbert Brown and Mrs. J. Ben Snider.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Crutcher and daughters, Mrs. Alvin Wynn and Mrs. J. W. Cunningham, and granddaughter, Miss Betty Cunningham, have returned from an enjoyable visit in Tulsa, Okla. They visited Mrs. Crutcher's sister, Mrs. Joe Paysinger. It will be recalled that Mr. Paysinger was killed by an Indian in Oklahoma about two months ago. Mrs. Paysinger returned home with her sister for an extended visit.

The Diaper Derby Gets Off to a Fast Start

Here is the start of the 3rd annual crawling race in Palisades Park, N. J. Fifty children started the 25-yard race, won by Andrew La Corte, 16-months-old, in the record time of 15 minutes. One entrant is crying because he's been disqualified for walking, another entrant seems to be losing his running shorts.

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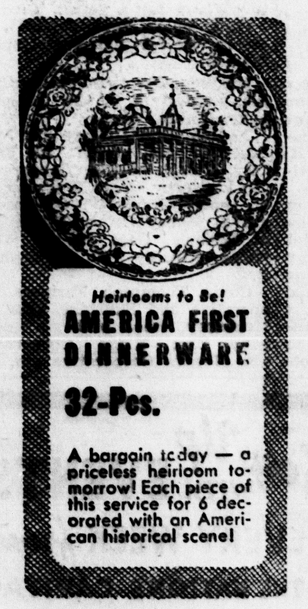
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Collin County Gins Apply For Free Classing

With August 1 the last opportunity for making application, seven Collin County gins, 10 in Fannin and two in Grayson have applied for free classing and market news services this fall through the Dallas office of the agricultural marketing service, a division of the United States department of agriculture.

It is expected that most of the remaining gins in these three counties will make application and it is understood that some are now preparing such applications, according to James R. Kennedy, in charge of the Dallas office.

The classing and market news service are available to any organized cotton improvement groups through the Smith-Doxey act. It is pointed out that the service gives information on the grade and staple length to the ginners and farmers and in addition saves the producer 15 cents a bale if he places the cotton in a government loan.

Through this method the farmers will have an excellent chance to observe the different varieties of cotton grown on their farms and in their communities with a view to selecting the variety best suited.

Last season there were 583 groups approved in Texas and these groups sent in 568,000 samples for classification. The farmers had unbiased classification on over a half million bales of cotton that enabled them to place their cotton in the loan with no extra charge for classification or to use their classification cards to bargain for a better price.

Gins which have applied for the service for their customers so far are:

Grayson, Farmers cooperative gin, Gunter; M. J. Hill Gin company, Smith Oaks.

Fannin, Honey Grove gin, Windom gin, Melton gin at Dodd City, Telephone gin, Cooperative gin at Honey Grove, Farmers gin at Honey Grove, W. O. Cravens gin at Honey Grove, Bishop gin at Ladonia, Goss gin at Telephone, Riverby gin, Telephone route 2.

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Miss Pearl Howell Becomes Bride Of Arnold Denton

MRS. ARNOLD DENTON

Miss Pearl Howell and Arnold Denton were married June 22 by Rev. Henry May, Baptist Minister of Dallas, the ceremony being performed at the Pastor's home. The young couple were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Evans, uncle and aunt of the groom.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Clara Howell and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Denton, of 4309 Lovers Lane, Dallas. They are making their home in Dallas. Miss Howell is a graduate of the McKinney High School and has been employed in the Triple A office for the past five years. Mr. Denton is a graduate of the Terrell School for Boys and attended the College of Fine Aras, in Chicago, and also S. M. U., in Dallas. He is a composer, and composed some of the melodies played at the Centenial. He is employed by the Ed Frederick Sales Corporation.

Farmersville Colored Team Wins Contest

The first ball game of the season played at Bel-Mor Field in Finch Park was staged Friday night by the McKinney All Stars colored team and the Farmersville Black Giants, colored nine. The Farmersville team won by a score of 12-to-1.

Several hundred white persons attended the game ,according to the estimate of Obe McCollum. Chairman of the Dads Club Committe, who arranges for these games at Bel-Mor Field.

Mr. McCollum said that out of deference to the Confederate Veterans' and Old Settlers' Picnic and Reunion this week there will be no games at Finch Park during that time, but that other games are scheduled for the following week. Monday night, July 28, he said, there will be a game between the Dallas Green Monarches and the Farmersville Black Giants, both colored teams, and as usual a section of the seats will be reserved for white people.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights of that week, July 29, 30 and 31, the McKinney Textile Millers will play a three game series with the Little Elm team, Mr. McCollum announced.

Union Church Service Held Sunday Night

The Union Religious service Sunday night on the lawn of the J. H. Hill (Central) Ward School was well attended. It was the fifth of a series of Union Services held by four McKinney churches.

Taking as his subject, "The Certainty of the Christian Life," Dr. R. L. Cowan, Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church and President of the McKinney Pastors Association, delivered a forceful and inspiring sermon.

Choirs of the four participating churches combined in singing the hymns, with Miss Irene Marley directing. She is organist of the First Presbyterian Church. Mrs. H. L. Shoap was at the piano.

Taking part in these services each Sunday night are the First Presbyterian, Central Presbyterian, First Methodist and First Christian Churches. Evening services at all of these churches are suspended each Sunday night and all congregations attend the Union Service. Each Sunday also a different minister preaches. Next Sunday night Rev. Earl J. Patton will preach. He is Pastor of the First Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Pirtle have begun the erection of a modern cottage home in Northwest McKinney on North Oak Street. The contract was let to John M. White & Son, local lumber dealers, who are in charge of the building. The house will contain four rooms and bath and will be one of the most modern cottages in the city upon completion. Mr. Pirtle is Intertype operator for the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette. He and his wife and young son expect to occupy the new residence as a home upon its completion.

Funeral Is Held Saturday For Mrs. Mary Faires, 87

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Chapel of the Crouch funeral home for Mrs. Mary Faires. Dr. C. S. Weaver, Pastor of the First Christian Church, Rev. A. H. Snider and Rev. Robert H. Ridley, Pastor of the Wilcox Street Methodist Church, conducted the services. A chorus from the First Christian Church sang old time songs, which were the favorites of the deceased.

Many beautiful floral offerings covered the grave at Pecan Grove Cemetery.

Mrs. Faires, who died at her home Saturday, was one of the oldest residents of McKinney. She was born July 19, 1853, in McKinney, the daughter of Mary and Tom Bradley, who settled in McKinney in 1848. The present site of the Boyd High School. The Junior High School and the gymnasium was given to the City of McKinney by Tom Bradley. One of the residential streets bears the name of this pioneer family.

Pallbearers were: Henry W. Warden, Mayor Tom W. Perkins, F. Dudley Perkins, Joe W. McCullough, J. T. Couch, Macon Porter, Clarence Hill, W. L. Watkins, Dick DeArmond and Arlie McKinney.

Mrs. Faires' husband, John Faires, passed away many years ago and a son, Tom Faires, died about a year ago. She is survived by two sons, Joe Faires, with whom she made her home here, and Ben Faires of Fort Worth.

Among the out-of-town relatives attending the funeral of Mrs. Mary Faires Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Smith; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar E. Smith; Mrs. Arthur McDowell, all of Dallas and Mrs. Press Duncan of Wichita Falls. Messrs. Smith are nephews of the deceased and Mrs. McDowell and Mrs. Duncan are nieces.

Visitors From Wolf Lake, Ill.

Alfred M. Wilson and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Randles, and Mr. Wilson's two grandsons, Jimmie Randles and Johnnie Wilson, all of Wolf Lake, Ill., arrived in McKinney Saturday for a week's visit with Mr. Wilson's sister, Mrs. D. W. Bagwill and husband, and his brother, J. B. Wilson, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. Wilson came to Texas and to McKinney early in young manhood and lived here for several years, attending public schools in this city, later returning to Illinois, where he has since resided. He is well-known in this city and throughout the county, and has a host of friends and acquainances residing here, all of whom are pleased to see Mr. Wilson and the other Illinois visitors.

Mr. Wilson is a brother of the late Walter B. Wilson, for many years well-known and beloved McKinney newspaperman and McKinney Postmaster.

He is an extensive farmer and landowner of Wolf Lake, Ill., and is regarded as one of Southern Illinois' most successful farmers and livestockmen. Their many friends are happy to see them on their visit to Texas.

Hazelitte Cravens Passes Away In City Hospital

Hazelitte Cravens, aged 39 years, 2 months and 25 days, died at the McKinney City Hospital Saturday night, July 19 at 8 o'clock after an illness of five months. Mr. Cravens was born in Collin County, in the Anna Community and spent his entire life there.

Mr. Cravens was born April 24, 1902, the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Cravens, who live on Route 2, Anna. He is survived by his parents, his wife, Mrs. Thelma Ashmore Cravens, one son, Bobby Jean, and three sisters, Miss Hattie Cravens, Miss Mary Lee Cravens, both of Anna, Route 2, and Mrs. Sebe Wynn, of Route 1, Anna.

Funeral services were conducted at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Anna Christian Church by Rev. Lloyd Mottley, Pastor of the Van Alstyne Christian Church, with interment following in the Highland Cemetery. The Crouch Funeral Home of McKinney had charge of the arrangements. Serving as pallbearers were: Burnie Bryant, Claud Adams, Jack Nipp, D. Lair, Harold Nipp and Ad Ashmore. Mr. Cravens was reared in the Anna Community and went through the Anna High School. He was a well known and successful farmer.

Mrs. Paschal B. Roberts of Frisco underwent an operation at the McKinney City Hospital Thursday. The operation was a minor one and was very successful.

Charlie Everett DeBow, 43, Dies In Princeton

Charlie Everett DeBow, 43 years old, well known resident of Princeton and member of the Christian Church of Princeton, died at his home there at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Funeral services were conducted at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Princeton Christian Church by the Pastor, Rev. Cherryhomes, of Fort Worth. Interment followed in the Princeton Cemetery. The Massie Funeral Home had charge of arrangements. Pallbearers were: A. T. Kever and W. J. Brown of McKinney, J. R. Gantt, J. U. Donahoo., J. W. Neal and R. E. Clements, all of Princeton.

Mr. DeBow was born in the Princeton Community and spent his entire life there. Date of his birth was September 13, 1898. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. DeBow of Princeton; his wife, who was formerly Mrs. Ann Talkington; fice stepchildren, one brother, Loyce DeBow, of Dallas, and six sisters, Mrs. Ann Webb of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Edna Powers and Mrs. Mable Cave of Princeton, Mrs. Frances Moore of San Diego, Calif., Miss Jessie DeBow and Miss Janelle DeBow of Dallas.

James Stewart, Ted and Fred Eubanks, Kenneth Cole and John Haynes, left Friday for Camp Crockett, at Granbury, Texas to spend two weeks. They were accompanied to Camp for the day by Mrs. J. C. Stewart and Mrs. G. G. Jetton.

Vase Shower For Vets' Hospital

Mrs. Boorman Russell, President of Lone Star Auxiliary No. 2150, announces that the local Auxiliary will sponsor a vase shower for the new Veterans' Hospital in Dallas. Everyone interested is invited to contribute a vase for the shower. The donations will be received by Mrs. J. L. Pfaff at the Commercial Hotel, and it is hoped that the vases will be received there within a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon O. Wilson of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wilson of Dallas and Mrs. Emma Hall of this city were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Wylie Wilson Wednesday evening. John F. Wilson, Mrs. Hall and George Wylie Wilson are children of the late Mr. and Mrs. George L. Wilson.

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Snow Still Seen As Freeze Goes Into 13th Day

Texas' Coldest Spell For 41 Years Shows No Sign of Letup; Thursday Top Is 24

Dallas headed into its thirteenth day of freezing weather Thursday night as the Weather Bureau hoisted snow signals for this section for Friday and Saturday, with rain in the south portion of East Texas. It was the ninth consecutive day of Dallas' coldest wave in a decade, and despite moderating weather in West Texas the state still was gripped in freezing weather which extended near the coast.

The cold wave is the most tenacious in Texas in forty-one years and in Dallas was comparable with the cold January, 1918, when the mercury dropped below freezing thirty-four days out of the forty from Dec. 27, 1917, to Feb. 4, 1918. Since Dec. 27, 1939, all but five days have had sub-freezing weather, and some of the lowest temperatures were recorded since the all-time low of 8 below zero was set in January, 1930.

One of Lowest Januarys.

Notorious January, already branded the bitterest month of the year by Dallas' twenty-seven-year weather records and by pioneers' tales of the roaring blizzard of '86, will be recorded this year as one of the worst.

The average daily minimum temperature for the month for a twenty-five year period is 30.8 degrees, and is nearly two degrees less than December's average, next coldest month, and nearly four degrees less than the February average. For the current year, however, the average to date is 24.2, seven degrees below normal.

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In Disgrace With Hitler? Goering's At His Side Here

Reichsmarshal Goering Chancelor Hitler General Keitel

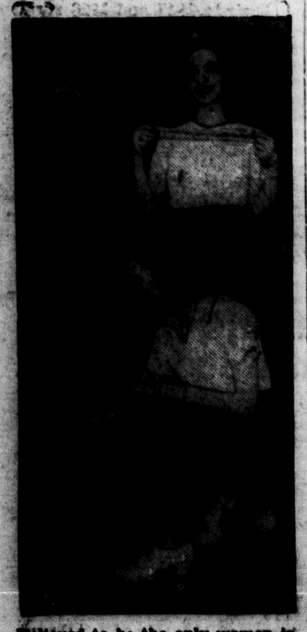
Rumors that Reichsmarshal Hermann Goering, No. 2 Nazi, is in disgrace with his chief, Chancellor Adolf Hitler, are quieted, temporarily at least, by this latest radiophoto from Berlin showing Goering and Hitler together at Hitler's field headquarters "somewhere on the Russian front." Shown with the two is General Wilhelm Keitel, chief of staff of the Germany army. This is the first picture to reach the United States of Hitler at the front since the war with Russia began.

U. S. Aide Missing

Lieut. Eugene Davis

United States navy department in Washington announces that Lieut. Eugene Davis, assistant air and naval attache at the London embassy, has not been heard from since he left Gibraltar for London two months ago aboard an R. A. F. bomber on which he was acting as an observer. Lieutenant Davis is a native of Po[illegible], Idaho.

Unusual Job



Believed to be the only women in the U. S. doing this kind of work, Iris Yeager, standing, and Geneva Gebbert, kneeling, are pictured working as stock board markers in an Akron, O., brokerage. Girls were hired when the regular stock board markers in the office were lost to the army and to the national defense industry.

The City Employes were given a half holiday Wednesday in observance of McKinney Day at the big Picnic-Reunion. Members of the City Commission said they were glad to give the employes a half day off and enjoy the celebration. Members of the Commission are: Mayor Tom W. Perkins and Commissioners J. H. Snapp and Lyman D. Robinson.

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McKinney suspended business Wednesday and went to the Confederate Veterans' and Old Settlers' Picnic and Reunion. Practically every business house closed its doors at noon and everybody took a half holiday. It was one of the biggest days in McKinney for many years.

Pots and Pans for Planes.

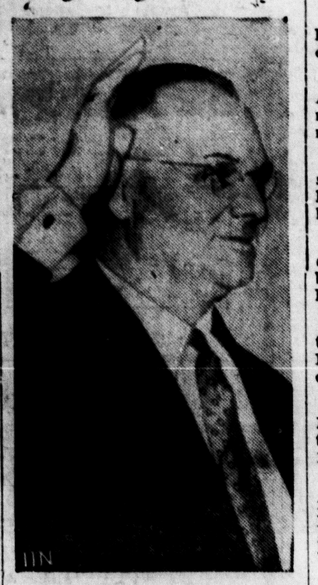
In Army Shift

Maj. Gen. Frank Andrews

Among the changes made by the war department in an army shakeup is that involving Maj. Gen. Frank M. Andrews, 57, above, who is to become chief of the Caribbean defense command, a post regarded as of increasing importance. He succeeds Lieut. Gen. Daniel Van Voorhis, who will command the Fifth Corps area with headquarters at Columbus, O.

Clint Sheppard, owner and lover of fine horses, was here from Plano, riding one of his fine horses in the big parade held here Tuesday as one of the main features of the Picnic-Reunion. His was one of the best looking mounts in the parade.

Sing Sing Warden



Robert J. Kirby

When Warden Lewis E. Lawes resigns his post at Sing Sing prison, Ossining, N. Y., July 16, Robert J. Kirby, above, principal keeper at Attica state prison, Attica, N. Y., for the last eight years, will take over his job. Kirby is shown above as he was sworn in for the post at Albany.

Mrs. G. G. Jetton and little granddaughter, Louise Jetton, of Westminster are spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Stewart and family here.

Mrs. W. W. Pruett and daughter, Miss Margaret Pruett, were week-end guests of Rev. and Mrs. John Moore and family in Dallas. While there they attended the opera "Student Prince" at Fair Park.

Guard Slayer of Three

Alfred Wells

Heavy police guard has been placed about the cell of Alfred Wells, hunchbacked ex-convict awaiting trial at San Bernardino, Cal., for the slaying of two women and a man, all relatives, in the desert last May. Wells attempted suicide while in the Spokane, Wash., jail where he was held after his capture in a hobo jungle.

Personals

Mrs. J. E. Terry is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Theron Webb, in Dallas.

Billie Martin has returned from Austin, where he has been attending summer school.

Mrs. E. C. Bishop of Santa Rosa, Cal., is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. W. Kerr.

Mrs. Walter Glenn Bridges of Allen was brought to the McKinney City Hospital Tuesday evening for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Martin, Jr., sons T. C. III and Billie, of Ennis, spent the week-end with his parents here.

Mrs. P. D. Beaver, who lives on Route 5, McKinney, was brought to the McKinney City Hospital for treatment Thursday.

Ray Griffing of Abilene was the guest Friday of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Shoemaker in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gard of Muskogee, Okla., are guests in the home of W. J. James at 1001 W. Lamar.

Mrs. Julius Purnell, Miss Edna Elizabeth Purnell and Miss Inez Neilson have returned from a visit with relatives in Houston.

Mrs. Grady Giles of Anna, Mrs. Clyde Todd of Anna, Mrs. Isaac Crouch; Mrs. J. C. Stewart and Mrs. Virgil Stogdill spent Sunday in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Leon Barnett of Princeton are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, born to them at the McKinney City Hospital Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ray Manning, of Leonard, was brought to the McKinney City Hospital Wednesday evening and was operated on Thursday.

Mrs. Price Carr, daughter, Mrs. Wofford Thompson, and son, Wofford, Jr., have returned from a delightful trip to Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Perkins and son, Jon Riggs, of Dallas spent Sunday with Mr. Perkins parents, Mayor and Mrs. Tom W. Perkins.

Mrs. Vivian Kinney and daughter, Judy, returned to their home in Dallas Friday after a week's visit with her Mother, Mrs. Ola McCauley, here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Goggins Mr. and Mrs. Ted Reddell and Miss Leota Belland Mrs. Cena Phillips spent the week-end at T. P. & L. Co. employees Cabin at Lake Waco. They were Mrs. Phillip's guests.

Mrs. Job Dowell has returned from a visit with her sister, in Tacoma, Washington. Her mother Mrs. Hattie Corey, who has been visiting her daughter in Tacoma for several months, returned home with Mrs. Dowell.

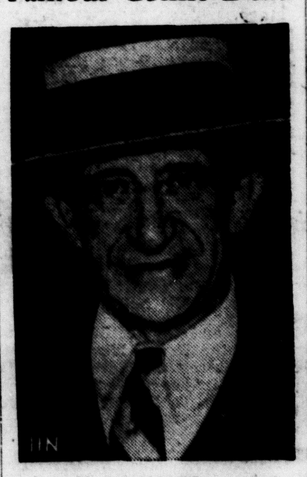
If you want to buy or sell land, call on the McKinney Realty Company. Long established. Perfectly reliable. Office with the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette. Phones 64 and 65.

Admits Farm Slaying

Richard Wesolic

Hunted for several days, 16-year-old Richard Wesolic, reformatory parolee, was arrested by Belleville, Ill., police who claim he has confessed the farm slaying of Mrs. Joseph M. Jung of Woodstock, Ill. According to police, the boy was reprimanded by Mrs. Jung for staying out late. He attacked Mrs. Jung with a monkey wrench. The boy was paroled to the Jung family from the state reformatory April 21.

Famous Comic Dead



Lew Fields

For more than 60 years the comedy team of Joe Weber and Lew Fields was an international favorite. Today, the comedy team, while no longer active, is broken up by death. Fields, 74, died of pneumonia at Beverly Hills, Cal. Fields was born Lewis Maurice Fields and began his famous comedy routine with Weber in New York in 1876.

Actress Is Bride

Patricia Ellis

Screen and Stage Actress Patricia Ellis is a newlywed, it has been disclosed in Detroit, her home town. Miss Ellis, 23, and George T. O'Malley, 29, a Kansas City businessman, were married at Bowling Green, O., by a justice of the peace. The actress has been on the stage and screen since 13.

Golden Wedding Anniversary Is Observed

A large number of relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh E. Holland, prominent McKinney couple, attended the reunion in Finch Park Sunday in celebration of their Golden Wedding Anniversary. It proved a most enjoyable occasion, not only for the honored couple, but for everyone else who attended. Both Mr. and Mrs. Holland are natives of Tennessee but have lived in McKinney since 1893, with the exception of twelve years, when they resided in New Mexico.

A delicious dinner was served at the picnic and many were the congratulations bestowed upon the honored couple. Mr. and Mrs. Holland were assisted by their children, Johnnie E. Holland of Dallas and Mrs Lynn Boorman of McKinney. A number of out-of-town relatives and friends were present.

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Prizes Awarded In Shetland And Pony Classes

Fifteen prizes were awarded in the pony classes and six in the horse classes in the Horse and Pony Division of the Picnic Parade Tuesday morning, a feature of the program of the Collin County Confederate Veterans' and Old Settlers' Picnic and Reunion.

Tom M. Scott and Bud McDuffie were the judges. Barbara Ruth Caudell, who drove the only goat cart in the parade, was given a prize, although she had no competition.

Prizes awarded in the Pony Classes went to the following winners:

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Cowboys.
1. Robbie Barry.
2. Jim Henry Pennington.

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Cowgirls.
1. Bobbie Jack Chandler.
2. Stella Ruth Headrick.

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Riding Habit, Girls.
1. Frances Henderlis.
2. Natalena La Follette.

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Riding Habit, Boys.
1. Tommie Mockford.
2. Billie Cooper.

Indian Girl.
1. Shirley Coldiron.

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Indian Boy.
1. W. C. Scalf.

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Best Ponies.
1. Oliver Cate Lindsey.
2. Erwin Ray Bogard.

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Oldest Ponies:
Jack McMurry.
2. Stelle Ruth Headrick.

Here were the winners in the Horse Classes:

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Saddle Class.
1. Sarah Bush.
2. Louise Headrick.

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Spotted Horses.
1. Raymond Walthall.
2. J. B. Combest.

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Gray Horses.
1. Joe Hunt Richardson.
2. John A. Combest.

Mrs. Clara Howell was removed to her home, 806 West Hunt Street, McKinney, after undergoing treatment at the McKinney City Hospital.

Fourth Sunday Singing To Be At Blue Ridge

The Fourth Sunday Singing Convention will be held at the Baptist Church at Blue Ridge Sunday afternoon, according to R. F. Williams, President, and L. L. Kissinger, Vice President, of the Collin County organization.

The singing program will begin at 2 o'clock, they said, and they cordially invite everyone interested to attend and take part.

J. B. Merriman, a fine young man and a real farmer, living on highway 24 between here and Frisco, was in to see us. His father, J. R. Merriman, owns a fine 160-acre farm and lives on Route 2, Plano. His son runs the 160-acre farm for him and it is one of the best and most improved farms in the County. The Merrimans are both 100 per cent, and we were very glad to have J. B. visit us. Both of these fine successful farmers are always welcome, at this office.

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Entire stock of strictly Spring and Summer models included at worthwhile savings. There are one pant and two pant models in good assortments of young men's and conservative models.

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$19.50 Values	$15.88
$24.50 Values	$19.88
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$29.50 Values	$23.88

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These include shades of tan, blue, Green and white consisting of nationally advertised brands.

98c Values	79c
$1.49 Values	$1.29
$1.98 Values	$1.69

We also have one assortment slightly soiled and broken sizes, in values to $1.49. While they last 69c

SUMMER SPORT OXFORDS

Mostly two-tone combinations, fair size ranges, Comfortable lasts, Good substantial quality.

2.98 Values	2.57	3.98 Values	3.19
3.49 Values	2.77	4.98 Values	3.77

Summer Socks

Irregulars of 75c quality 33c

Mostly light fancy patterns. Good quality silks and lisles. Color combinations to go with any color shoes.

Sheer Pajamas

$1.44

Coat style pajamas with V type or lapel collars. Cool sheer fabrics in attractive patterns and stripe designs.

Men's SLACK SUITS

These are an exceptionally good assortment of patterns in these Suits including tans, blues, greens and beige. Close out at.

$2.49 Values	$1.89	
$3.98 Values	$3.39	
$4.98 Values	$4.39	
$6.95 and $7.45 Values		$5.19
Boys' $3.98 Values		$2.89

Summer Ties

Crepes and Novelty Weaves, wrinkle resist construction, mostly wool lined, light colors and patterns.

$1.00 Values	73c
65c Values	54c
49c Values	37c

MEN'S AND BOYS'

SUMMER SLACKS

These are really good values in all the newest patterns and shades. Most all have zippers. Good substantial reductions on all of these.

BOYS'		MEN'S	
		1.98 Values	1.79
		2.98 Values	2.39
1.98 Values	1.79	3.98 Values	3.39
2.98 Values	2.39	4.98 Values	4.39
		5.95 Values	4.89

Men's Summer Trousers

These are made of Malay Slub Shantung, easy to launder. They're in Beige and Blue. They are sanforized shrunk. These are cool trousers for these hot days.

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PICNIC-REUNION.

OF COURSE, YOU KNOW BY this time that the forty-second annual Collin County Confederate Veterans' and Old Settlers' Picnic and Reunion is in progress in this city. You also are aware that you are cordially invited to attend this big celebration at all times, to be entertained by a splendid program that has been arranged for your pleasure. You will meet many of your friends, for, from the appearance of the throngs on the picnic grounds, a majority of Collin County citizens are here for the annual event.

W. H. HAMES

WE ENJOYED A LONG CHAT Tuesday morning while down at the picnic and reunion with our good friend, W. H. (Bill) Hames, who is here with his big shows, which are bigger and better than ever. Mr. Hames feels that he is coming back home when he comes to McKinney and Collin County for he was reared in West Collin. He is an experienced and well-known show man, who caters to the kiddies. In fact, a trip over the picnic grounds will reveal numerous rides for the kiddies. And, believe us, the kiddies are having a great time while at the picnic.

Mothers of Collin County Soldiers

IT WAS AN INSPIRING sight to see the Mothers of Collin County sons, who are in military service, riding in the parade and then attending the picnic's official opening following the parade on the picnic grounds. These Mothers were paid merited tribute in the official opening program, and following the program, their pictures were taken near the band-stand. Too much honor and praise can not be given these courageous, loyal and patriotic Collin County Mothers. Truly they are heroes, in every sense of the word.

MORE PENCILS.

AS MOST OF OUR READERS know, one of the happiest privileges we have is in gratefully acknowledging the gift of some appreciated pencils from those who are interested in our hobby. Over the week-end, for example, we have received no less than five pencils, from this and other States.

FROM WOLF LAKE, ILLINois, come four appreciated pencils, the gifts of our uncle, Alfred M. Wilson and his grandson, Jimmy Randles. As our readers will observe in the news columns elsewhere in Monday's issue of the Daily Courier-Gazette, the Illinois visitors arrived Saturday for a week's visit with relatives and friends. Mr. Wilson gives us a pencil of the bullet-shaped variety, advertising Wilson-Shields, Lives Stock Commission Company, national Stock Yards, Illinois. His grandson, Jimmy Randles, presents us with three appreciated gifts. One is a 1941 calendar pencil, and very useful, representing the Martell D. G. & Notion Co., of Murphysboro, while the others, which are likewise appreciated, represent the Lewis Bros. Bakeries, "Southern Illinois leading bakers," and the other, Coastal L. Follis, and the State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company of Bloomington, Ill.

AND, WHILE ATTENDING the Coffey family reunion in Finch Park Sunday, we had a long chat with T. C. Garrett, who with his wife and daughters were attending the reunion. Mr. Garrett, who is salesmanager for the big Schoellkopf Company of Dallas, presents us with a splendid pencil representing that firm, and for which we are most grateful.

WE MIGHT MENTION HERE that the Garrett family is a friend of our hobby, for his brother, Kirby Garrett, of Camp Bowie, who also attended the reunion, recently presented us with a group of pencils, which he had collected in that Brownwood army camp, and for which we are most grateful.

WHILE WE, OF COURSE, always relish receiving a new pencil for our hobby, yet we appreciate even more the thoughtfulness and kindness of our friends in thus remembering us. Our collection is considerably past the 700-figure and growing rapidly, thanks to our generous friends.

WESTON
By Miss Mary Button

Mrs. R. G. Hobson has gone to Habuka, Miss., to visit relatives.

Mrs. Ray Harris is a patient in the City hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Hattie Templin visited her daughter, Miss Ethel Templin of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Spain and daughter Linda Gayle visited Mr. and Mrs. James Hunsinger.

Billie Ross Chandler is visiting Don and Severn Culwell at Celeste.

Mrs. Dennis Cook is ill at the family home following an attack of ptomaine poisoning.

Edwin Luscomb of Denton visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luscomb.

Lloyds Gracy, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gracy has gone to Dallas to work.

Mrs. W. O. Rolater is suffering from torn ligaments in her leg received in an accident.

Mrs. Elmo Van Zandt and daughter Joy Lou of Pharr are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Robinson.

Mrs. Avo Cox and daughter Linda Ann and Mrs. A. E. Osburn of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Mitchell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hanzel and son of Los Angeles, Calif., have arrived for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Lillie Dysart has been called to Paul Valley, Okla., by the critical illness of her brother John Shumake, 87, a former Weston resident.

Miss Ruth Gregory of San Saba visited Miss Mary Margaret Button. Miss Gregory formerly taught school here but is a member of the high school faculty at San Saba now.

Harold E. Cave, son of Dee Cave of Weston, was one of thirty students selected for civil pilot training at Denton Teachers College after passing physical examinations recently. The course began June 23 and is expected to be completed around August 15. Cave is a sophomore in industrial art.

Citizens of the Weston community were entertained two nights recently by radio personalities. On last Monday night Miss Billie Walker and a group of musicians from Dallas presented a program under the sponsorship of the Woodman Lodge. Tuesday night the P.-T. A. sponsored a program by the Sunshine Boys of Dallas, the proceeds for the benefit of the school.

Outsiders approaching the home of Mrs. B. A. Comer now will fail to receive their usual bark of greeting from "Bud" the black and white bull dog for he is dead. Aoter fifteen years as a faithful watch dog companion and practically treated like a member of the family, he died last week, having been struck by a passing automobile. "Bud" will be remembered by those who have visited in the Comer home and was a famous figure to all those who live in or near Weston.

Announcement was received of the marriage of Tullie D. Harris, a native of Weston to Miss Nita Faye Throwner of Mangum, Okla., on June 14 at St. Louis, Mo. Mr. Harris is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Harris of Willow, Okla., attended the University of Oklahoma and is now in the army at Chanute Field, Ill. They are living at Champaign, Ill. The bridegroom is a grandson of Mrs. Amy Culwell of Weston.

Mrs. O'Dell Bilderback was honored with a shower Wednesday at the home of Mrs. G. O. Jones. Mrs. Tom Burch directed games and awarded prizes to Mr. James Hunsinger, Miss Barbara Peebles and Miss Lavern Cowan. Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Olin Luscomb, T. P. Helms, Velvie Bilderback, David Stiles, A. W. Gracy, Delton Grigg, Elmo Spaulding, Carl Jones, Milton Terrell, R. C. Cook, D. C. Parker, W. B. Peebles, Roy H. Mayes, John Payne, Lee Foster, Harvey Rutherford, Preston Yates, J. Lee Howell, Misses Bianch Payne, Marie Yates, Joyce Peebles, Marie Gracy.

ROUTH
By Doris Lee Randles

Mrs. Anna Box and children visited Mrs. A. S. George.

Doc Miller, wife and daughter Joann visited J. W. Miller, wife and son.

Mrs. Susie Nevils visited Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Duckworth Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vastin Mulder of Bonham visited Mrs. A. S. George.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Barnett has been visiting Mr and Mrs. S. E. Randles.

Mrs. Jack Wilder and Mrs. J. W. Miller and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Bud Mahan.

Mrs. Jack Wilder, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Miller and son attended a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Chatman in Van Alstyne.

Mrs. Benjamin Smith has returned from a delightful visit in El Paso with her sons Lieut. Benjamin Smith, Jr., and Harry Smith, who are stationed at Fort Bliss. Mrs. Smith said, the boys like army life fine.

WYLIE
By Miss Beulah Hall

Ray Anderhub of Dallas visited his mother, Mrs. Chas. Anderhub.

Mrs. Ed Davis and daughters visited in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Alloman and children of Plano visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bedell.

Mrs. Tom Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hall and Beulah Hall visited in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gann and son, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Collins and Beulah Hall visited at Lake Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Jackson and little son, Billy Dan, of Lufkin, are spending the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Shoemaker. Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Shoemaker are sisters.

ALLEN
By Mrs. L. Geeman

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Giles of Murphy were in Allen.

M. A. Sykes and family visited in Dallas.

Margaret Ann Smith of Pueblo, Colo., visited here.

Miss Ruby Lee Brown is a patient in the McKinney hospital.

Mrs. A. A. Humphrey is visiting in New Boston.

Mrs. H. W. Hagy was in McKinney Wednesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Brewer June 27 a son.

Little Miss Barbara Henderson has been visiting in Dallas.

Winston Williams, J. W. Copas and Austin Bolin attended the Stamps quartet in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. James Howlett of Dallas spent the week-end in Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Huffine or Richardson visited Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Tucker.

Mrs. D. F. Gilliland Mrs. O. O. Turner and J. A. Gilliland were McKinney visitors.

Billie Hagy of McKinney spent a few days last week with relatives here.

Mrs. Marie Angle of Dallas was the week-end guest of her parents, Hulett Jones and wife.

Mrs. Johnnie Hagy and daughter Mary Etta visited in McKinney.

Mrs. Calvin Weiser and son of Plano visited her sister, Mrs. James Tucker.

Mrs. Opal Dugger and sons of Prosper visited Frank Dugger and wife.

Alvin Bell and son of Moline Ill., visited Jesse Bell and family.

Honoring her mother, Mrs. Luther Summers, Mrs. Clarence Reynolds gave a dining Sunday with the following present Mr. and Mrs. Nelse Summers of Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Dyer and Mary Jane, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Summers and Mary Alyce, Charlie Holly and Kenneth Bolin.

Miss Bertha Louise Angel had as her guest last week Miss Evelyn Rose Morris of Lamesa, who was her classmate at Texas U. Miss Angel entertained with a theater party Friday night honoring Miss Morris and the following guests Misses Etta Glavine Christie of Frisco, Marjorie Rodgers, Lamesa; Marjora Lynge, Frances Leach, Naomi Weaver, Imogene Brown and Margaret Angel.

Funeral services were held at Forest Grove Thursday afternoon, June 26 for J. F. Clark who passed away in Dallas Wednesday night. services were conducted by Rev. Milton Greer. Deceased and family lived near Allen for many years. Following the death of his wife he moved to Dallas. He was a member of the Presbyterian church. Surviving are a son, Ernest Clark of Dallas and two grandsons, Chelsa Crouch of Lakeland, Fla., and Harold Crouch of Detroit Mich. Burial was in Fitzhugh cemetery.

The Robbins reunion was held at Finch Park Sunday, June 29 it being the 85th birthday of W. D. Robbins. A lovely cake, with Happy Birthday, and 85, inscribed, centered the table which was loaded with good things to eat. Those present were W. D. Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ballew, Allen; Mr. and Mrs. Chas M. Christie, Alene, C. J. and Bill, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Masters and Joe Ray, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Hughston, J. Arch and Thomas Hughston, Plano; Mr. and Mrs. Seth Robbins, Nevada; Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Robbins, Mrs. Ellen Skelton, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Garis McKissick and Dale, Betty Jo Chapman, Farmersville, Mrs. J. A. Barrett and Jon, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Masters and Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ballew; Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Graham and Don, Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Duncan, McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Rich, Gilbert Jeanette, Margarite and Bobbie Glen, Dallas; Mrs. Beulah Robbins, J. R., Billie, Wayne, Joe Kenneth, Oleta, Almeta and Weldon, McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. John Drain, Johnnie Lee, James Russell and Maxine, Clearlake; Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Robbins, L. W. Jr., and Barbara, Nevada; Rev. and Mrs. J. Swight Pentacost, pastor of the Parker Presbyterian church Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Dillehay and Mary Jo, Christine Johnson Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McKissick and Billie Jean, Farmerscille; Mrs. Pearl Masters, Allen; Dorothy and Mildred Drain, Clearlake. Frances Kennedy McKinney; Charlie Kennedy, Princeton; Billie Jo Enloe; T. L. Johnson, Clearlake; Sid Williams, S. J. Evans, C. B. Watson, McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lewis, Naomi and Charlene Van Alstyne and Lee Claiby, Plano.

Everything that a modern Drug Store should have is to be found at Gamble's. Phone 104.

Mr. and Mrs. William Speary of Dallas announce the birth of a baby girl, Shirley Sue, born to them June 19. The baby was born in the Florence Nightingale Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gamblen of this city are the doting grandparents of the sweet little miss and are receiving congratulations from their friends upon the arrival of their granddaughter.

VALDASTA
By Miss Yvonne Ramsey

Miss Oleta Coffey of Garland visited her father, Jim Coffey.

O. L. Cantrell is in Houston on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Cantrell and Florence Mae Miller of Houston visited relatives here.

The Baptist Sunday school took picnic lunch at the Dallas zoo. Thirty-nine attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Greer visited Mr. and Mrs. Ross Greer of Pilot.

Clyde Wilson who has been in the army at Kelly Field is visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Carraway and daughter Jean of Desert visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cantrell and family.

George Ray Cantrell, Gwendolyn Tarvin and Malcolm Richardson and Kathleen Cameron motored to Durant and were married.

Cecil Lee Hendricks, who has been at Camp Wood, Mo., is on a thirty day visit with his family.

Mrs. Mollie Combest has returned to Gunter where she will take treatment. Her daughter Beatrice accompanied her.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stoneciper and family and Buck Stoneciper of East Texas visited her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Combest and family.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Ramsey were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Alexander of Farmersville, Mrs. Alice Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Farley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Ramsey and son.

Monday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cantrell and family were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gracy, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cantrell, Mr. and Mrs. George Ray Cantrell, Mrs. O. L. Cantrell, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Richardson.

Miss Ouida Jane Lanier entertained Sunday. Those present were Dyon Cantrell, J. D. Emerson, Lois Combest, Jean and James Ramsey of Valdasta; Billy Charles Dixie Day, Sonny Cave, Ruby Kelton and Cora Lee Massie.

Cool, refreshing fountain drinks and lunches at Gambles. Phone 104.

LOWERY CROSSING
By Mrs. Velma Kindle, Corr.

Little Pasley Jane Renfro visited Mr. Dub Evans and baby.

Miss Sarah Ruth McCarty visited Miss Maria Matlock.

Martia Matlock visited Jean Ritter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wardlow visited at Princeton.

Miss Josie Ritter visited Miss Nannie Margaret Lenderman.

Miss Odele Biggs visited Miss Mary Frances Simpson.

Misses Joyce, Geraldine and Nell Grubbs visited Helen and Mildred Kindle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Poston visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle of McKinney.

Mrs. Homer Grubbs and children visited Mrs. George Kindle and family.

Arthur Ritter and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Odis Hinsley at Melissa.

Miss Jean Ritter visited her sister, Mrs. Odis Hinsley at Melissa.

Mrs. Leslie Biggs and baby visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Kindle visited their daughter, Mrs. Floyd Rutledge and family, at Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Rutledge of Princeton visited their daughter, Mrs. George Kindle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rutledge and children, Wilma and Jimmie of Paris visited Mark Kindle and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Smith and daughter Doris of Greenville visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pennington and family.

Mr. And Mrs. John T. Bean, Daughter Return To El Paso

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Bean and daughter, Anna Belle, left for their home in El Paso Saturday morning. Mr. Bean, who for the past two years has been Vocational-Agriculture instructor in the El Paso High School, has been attending Texas A. & M. College all summer, while his wife and daughter have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mantooth at their home, 501 West Hunt Street. Mr. Bean completed his Master's Degree at A. & M. this summer.

Jake Dyer, proprietor of the North Side Drug Store and one of McKinney's leading Druggists, has just purchased the cottage home on South Waddill Street from Charle Self, also a prominent McKinney business man. Mr. Dyer and his wife and daughter will occupy the new cottage as their home within a few days. The cottage is modern in every respect and occupies a very fine location in one of the city's residential districts.

COTTAGE HILL
By Mrs. J. B. Tucker, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. Buell Shields of Shalms Chapel visited here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thompson of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hays.

Mrs. Lena Gladden of Denton visited her father, J. F. Wester and John Wester.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ash Jr., and son Billy Ray visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Darnall.

Lynn Scott of McKinney visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hays.

Betty Boyer has returned from a visit with relatives at Mulberry.

Miss Madeline Tillerson and Miss Katherine Harris of Alla visited Mrs. J. W. Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hundley and sons, Doc Hundley and wife of Frisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Darnall.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shields were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dickerson and children of Sherman; Leonard Harris and family of Alla.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Francis and daughter Ruth on July 4 were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee of Dallas and F. W. Frances and wife of Gunter.

Guests of Bob Hays and wife were R. L. Hays Jr., wife and son; Alvin Sexton and wife and son Peyton; Ina Sue Gearhart of McKinney.

Visitors in E. Combest home were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Davis and daughter Rita Beth of Nave and Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Malone.

Guests of Mrs. Ola George and family were Mr. and Mrs. V. Reneau and Esther Louise Renau; Miss Met Smith, Mr. and Mrs. oJhn George of Chambersville.

STIFF CHAPEL
By Miss Nellene Capps, Cor.

Wilford Gray and Garland Terrell were in Dallas on business.

Alfred Gray visited friends at Kemp.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hight visited Mr. and Mrs. Nichols near Melissa.

Mr. and Mrs S. E. Gray visited Mrs. A. H. Holland of Wolnble.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wallis and daughter Pauline visited Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hight.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Kissinger of McKinney visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Farley.

Mrs. Nannie Mitchell of Graham visited Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hight.

Mrs. Luther Stepp visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hedrick at Altoga.

Mr .and Mrs. L. M. Hight spent Sunday with Royce Mitchell and family at McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Heron visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Farley.

Johnny Lynn Farley of Altoga and Patsy Lee Haley of Lovefield visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W Farley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Reed and daughters Wanda and Sandra visited Mr. andd Mrs. Raymon Davis at McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Starks and daughter Polly, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Starks, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Stubbs of Corsicana, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Reed and family visited at the Lake.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Capps were Mrs. A. D. Graves and son, Mrs. Ralph Harpole and children of Melissa, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomas and son of Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Pies Evans and daughter of Climax; Walter Johnnson and wife of McKinney.

Mrs. W. Donald Is Welcome Visitor

We appreciate a welcome visit from our good friend, Mrs. W. Donald, of Slaton, Texas, who is in McKinney visiting her brother, A. L. Cole, and her sister, Mrs. W. A. Bevil. Mrs. Donald was reared in McKinney, being the wife of the late W. Donald, for fifteen years connected with these papers and also a newspaperman of Princeton. From the latter town he moved to Lubbock, passing away in that city. Mrs. Donald has been away from McKinney since 1917. She tells us that she has a son, Walter W. Donald, in the U. S. Army, being stationed at Fort Leonard. We greatly appreciate her friendly visit and enjoyed talking over old times with her again

VINEY GROVE NO. 2
By Mrs. Henry Thomas

Clyde Murry made a business trip to Dallas.

Mrs. Gladys Pruitt visited Mrs. Billie Garland of Altoga.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haley of McKinney visited here.

Charlie Houser of Dallas visited here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pruitt and children visited at Allen.

Miss Lonia Pair of Dallas visited her mother here.

Mrs. Bell Houser of McKinney is visiting here.

Mrs. Moudy is attending summer school at Denton.

Gus Ingram of Longneck visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pruitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clell Blackey and children of McKinney visited Mrs. Birdie Atkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Pruitt of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Langley.

Mr. and Mrs. Algred Clifton and baby visited at Tishimingo, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bagwill are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pruitt and children of near Allen visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Keller.

Leon Cooper of Colorado visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Andrews and baby of Sister Grove visited Mrs. Joe Pain.

Mrs. Edith White and baby of Weston; James May of Dallas; Mrs. Bud May and children of Culleoka visited their daughter and sister.

ROSAMOND
By Mrs. Eck Brown, Cor.

Mrs. H. G. Griffin is improving from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown visited in Sherman.

Bill Russell is ill of double pneumonia.

Misses Annie Mae and Imogene Edwards visited Luther Edwards and family.

Mr. and Mrs P. F. Davis and daughter Lozetta of Anna visited Mr. and Mrs. Odell Barnes.

E. W. Reed had as guests this week Mr. and Mrs. Homer Withrow and son C. W. of Desert, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Lindsey of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ellis and children Gerald and Joyce of Higgins and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Affie Terry attended singing at Weston.

Guests of Mrs. C. H. Bell were Bobby Bell of Rockport and Mrs. Jimmie Reaves of Sulphur Springs.

Mrs. Christine Parks honored Mrs. Opal Hendrix of Denton with a kitchen shower Saturday at her home. Mrs. Troy Parks directed games and awarded prizes to Mrs. Elsie Ashmore and Mrs. Glenda Parks. Punch and cookies were served to the following Mrs. Mable Luster, Mrs. Hazel Parks, Mrs. J. F. Hendricks and daughters Christine and Helen, Mrs. Lillie Sherley, Mrs. Nina Adams and Peggy Jo Ashmore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hudson and family, Billy Whitfield, Misses Ester Moore, Imogene and Hazel Webb, Mrs. Pete Mirical and children, Jimmy, Billy and Helen went for an outing on July 4. Nine large fish were caught and a fish dinner enjoyed that night.

Mrs. Eck Brown was given a big surprise party on her birthday, July 3. Attending were Mesdames Alice Estep, Lula Lewis, Lee Merrill of Anna, Elsie and Peggy Ashmore; Mesdames Bookie Terry, Lena Belle Cauthon, Stella Webb and daughter Imogene; Rube Cauthon, L. L. Riffe and children, Jon and Relda; Mary Gaither, Josie Brown, Louise Fields, Anna Lou and Myrtis Brown, Pauline Dickerson, C. H. Bell and daughter Ora; Myrtle Brown, Mary Bell, Edith Moore Nina Adams and Kern Cheney.

Mrs. W. A. Williams of McKinney spent a few days with her cousin, Mrs. Samuel F. Davis, in Dallas. While there, Mrs. Williams attended a luncheon at the First Baptist Church and also attended the dedication of the new Baptist Building Wednesday night.

Morey Neely and Isaac Crouch are in College Station this week, attending the annual Firemen's Training School. They left Sunday and will be there all week.

VINEY GROVE NO. 1
By Lema Price

Miss Lois Dobbs is visiting relatives in Sherman.

Forest Roger Bomar visited Bobbie and Vivian Rankins.

Giles Atterberry visited Bud Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Hall and family visited relatives at Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shanks and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Shanks.

Mrs. Ray Howard and girls of McKinney visited Mr. and Mrs. Silas Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Underwood and Nellie Grace visited her mother.

Mrs. Mitchell Cope of Fort Worth and Willard Jordan of Grapevine visited Mr. and Mrs. Whitt Jordan.

Mrs. Raymond Davis of McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Graves and Sonza Rae of Melissa visited Mr. and Mrs. Ike Reed.

Grady Noles, Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Vermillion of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Noles of Valdasta, and the other relatives of Alabama were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaines Noles Sunday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Price and family were Mrs. Emily Smith and children of Blue Ridge; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sebastain and children of Blue Ridge, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Noles of Valdasta, Mrs. Dessie Johns and sons of Celina.

ROWLETT
By Miss Gladys Young, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cave of Dallas visited homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Boorman Russell visited in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Mathews visited Mrs. Chumbley who is a patient in a Sherman hospital.

Miss Frances Mathews has returned from Durant where she has been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. alter Young enjoyed a picnic with friends the 4th.

The little twin daughters of Mrs. Beauford Cates of Dallas are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Alice Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Grimes, Miss Audra Day of Austin, Mrs. Bill Carroll of Dallas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Day a few days.

Miss Lula Christee was on the sick list while spending the week end with her parents. She attends NTSTC at Denton.

Nephew Of Dr. E. L. Burton Dies In Paris, Texas

Mrs. E. L. Burton went to Paris Monday morning and attended the funeral of Ernest Hutchison, aged 44, prominent shoe merchant of Paris and nephew of Dr. E. L. Burton of McKinney. Mr. Hutchison passed away Sunday morning. He lived at home with his Mother, Mrs. H. E. Hutchison, who is a sister of Dr. Burton, and one sister, Miss Louise Hutchison. He died suddenly at the family residence in Paris from a heart attack. Mr. Hutchison had several times visited his uncle and family in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Spillman have gone to Austin to spend the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Smart.

Funeral Held For Mrs. E. O. Harrington In Plano Friday

Funeral services for Mrs. E. O. Harrington, 69, prominent resident of Plano, who died at 5:40 o'clock Thursday morning at Baylor Hospital in Dallas, were conducted at 10 o'clock Friday morning at the Plano Baptist Church by Rev. T. T. Newton, the Pastor. Interment followed in Restland Memorial Park, in Northern Dallas County.

Rev. Newton was assisted in conducting the service by Dr. George W. Truett, well known Baptist minister of Dallas.

Mrs. Harrington, who was born in Kentucky December 4, 1871, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Coleman, was formerly Miss Nannie Coleman. Her husband, E. O. Harrington, died suddenly on July 4, 1940 at Plano. Her parents also preceded her to the grave.

She is survived by four sons, E. E., T. C., and J. O. Harrington of Plano and M. T. Harrington, a Professor in Texas A. & M. College. Surviving also are five grandchildren. The deceased was a member of the Baptist Church in Plano and was a prominent church and civic worker. She had been a resident of Plano for 49 years. On June 17, just a month ago, she fell at her home in Plano and fractured her right hip. She was taken to Baylor Hospital in Dallas for treatment but complications set in.

The deceased is also survived by a brother, Robert H. Coleman, prominent Baptist worker and head of the Coleman Song book Company of Dallas, and three sisters, Mrs. J. L. McDonald of Cynthia, Ky.; Mrs. George Green, Clifton Forge, Va., and Mrs. George Fiske, Macon, Ga.

The Crouch Funeral Home of McKinney had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Mail Carriers To Aid In State Defense Stamps

The five rural mail carriers who deliver mail out of the McKinney Post Office will join the others throughout the nation in the sale of Defense Stamps, according to Postmaster Don C. Davis.

There are 32,000 rural carriers in the United States. They will become salesmen for Uncle Sam as another step in raising money for National Defense, according to information received from Washington Saturday.

Demand for the Defense Stamps in sparsely settled districts, it is said, caused the Post Office Department to take the action and authority has been given to every Postmaster to place the samps on sale in this way. The Defense Stamps range in value from 10 cents to $5.00 each. Purchasers are given albums in which they can have mounted. When filled, the album may be exchanged for Defense Savings Bonds.

This action by the Post Office Department recalls that back in 1917 and 1918 rural mail carriers served in a similar capacity, selling War Saving Stamps.

Miss Alice Douglas was removed to her home at Melissa Tuesday following treatment at the McKinney City Hospital.

Merle Benton, Jr., and his sisters, Mrs. Ronald W. Gribble of Dallas, Mrs. David Rutledge of Amarillo and Miss Phoebe Jane Benton of this city, spent the week-end at Galveston.

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MISS SUE SIMPSON BRIDE OF W. T. SMITH.

Miss Sue Simpson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Simpson of the Woodlawn community, became the bride of W. T. Smith of Dallas Sunday afternoon. The wedding was solemnized at the home of Rev. Earl J. Patton, Pastor of the First Methodist Church, who officiated, using the ring ceremony. After the ceremony the couple left for Dallas to make their home, where Mr. Smith is employed.

The young couple are quite popular here, where both were reared. The bride attended the McKinney Public Schools and was a graduate of the City Hospital School of Nursing. She is a young woman of much charm and beauty, numbering her friends by her acquaintances.

The groom is the son of J. T. Smith, well known McKinney dairyman, residing Southwest of the city. He attended the public schools here, since which time he has been employed in Dallas. He is a stalwart young man, of high ambition and is being congratulated upon winning the hand of his fair young bride.

MRS. PAUL FLOYD IS HONORED.

Mrs. Boyd Webb entertained with a party Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, complimenting Mrs. Paul Floyd, the former Miss Mary Lewis Nelson.

During the evening games of bingo were enjoyed after which the bride was presented with a surprise miscellaneous shower. She was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

The guests were served refreshments in the dining room where a pink and white color motif was used. An Italian cutwork cloth covered the table, with pink tinted Shasta daisies forming the centerpiece. Pink tapers burned on either side. Elsewhere in the house zinnias and marigolds were used for decorating.

Guests for the delightful occasion included Mrs. Gay Davis of Dallas, Mrs. Pauline Dickson, Mrs. W. L. McHone, Mrs. Lois Trosclair, Miss Dorothy McElwain, Mrs. Pat Fry, Mrs. Cecil Woods, Mrs. Ted Reddell, Miss Louise Knight, Miss Eva McClure, Mrs. Fred Coffey and the honoree. Next Tuesday evening Mrs. McHone and Miss McClure are entertaining for Mrs. Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd were married on July 4 in Rockwall, Texas. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nelson of this city, where she was born and reared. She was educated in the McKinney public schools, after serving as librarian in the Boyd High School. For the past several years she has held a responsible clerical position with the Texas Power & Light Company.

Mr. Floyd has been making his home in Dallas where he holds a position with the Roy Dillon Feed store. He will continue working there while he and his wife will reside in McKinney, having taken an apartment at 113 Board street.

The couple have the best wishes and congratulations of a multitude of friends here and elsewhere upon their marriage.

JOHNNY KATE JETTON CELEBRATES.

Johnny Kate Jetton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jetton, celebrated her 8th birthday Wednesday with a party from 3 to 5 o'clock. Several of her little friends and playmates were invited to enjoy games on the lawn, after which the birthday cake was cut and served with lemonade. Suckers and balloons were given as favors and the young honoree was remembered with many lovely birthday presents.

Those present for the happy occasion were Bobbie Jean Hawks, Betty Lou Settle, Billie Sue Settle, Wanda Fay Chapman, Sylvia Simpson, Wanda Sue Phillips, Louise Jetton of Westminster, Bunky Jetton, her Grandmother, Mrs. G. G. Jetton of Westminster, and Aunt Mrs. J. C. Stewart.

MRS. TEMPLE COTTLE IS HONORED.

Mrs. Ray Dickens and Mrs. J. W. Day honored Mrs. Temple Cottle, nee Miss Glenda Day, with a miscellaneous shower Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. John R. Day, of Allen. The house was decorated with a varity of summer flowers. A buttonaire was given to each guest that registered at the door.

The honoree and mothers of the bride and groom and the hostesses wore corsages of sweet peas, carnations and baby's breath and ferns.

Contests furnished the diversion for the afternoon, each winner presenting her prize to the honoree. A salad course, punch and angel squares were served to forty-five guests. The honoree was presented with a large assortment of lovely and useful gifts of household linens, glass ware, kitchen utensils and silverware.

Mrs. Ray Dickens received the guests while Mrs. J. W. Day presided at the bride's book. Miss Dorothy Mae Cottle presided at the punch bowl, while Miss Avalee Cottle, and Hazel Ballew and Mrs. Tommy Mills served. Miss Lonnie Ray Philpot assisted the bride in opening the gifts.

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WAITE-PRIEST

The marriage of Miss Mary Virginia Priest, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Priest of Chambersville, to Burrel V. White, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Waite of San Antonio, took place at 9 a. m. Saturday, July 5, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mell of Austin, Rev. Buck, retired Methodist minister of Austin, officiated.

The Bride wore a frock of dark blue with white accessories. Miss Mae Beth Thompson, dressed in white with navy blue accessories, was maid of honor and Joseph Mell, uncle of the bride, was best man.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for a short honeymoon to New Orleans and other places. Mr. and Mrs. Waite will live in San Antonio. The bride is a graduate of the McKinney High School and later attended State University. She is now employed as a Junior clerk typist in the Air Corps supply at Brooks Field. Mr. Waite is a technical sergeant in the finance department of Brooks Field San Antonio.

Mrs. Bailey Hunter and daughter Claudia, and Mrs. Buford Thompson and daughter, Mae Beth, entertained with a party last Saturday night at the gymnasium in Chambersville for the couple. They received many nice gifts. Refreshments were served to sixty guests.

LAURA PARRIS CLASS PARTY.

Mrs Ernest Dowdy received the members of the Laura Parris class of the First Baptist Church in her lovely country home Tuesday afternoon. This was the monthly business and social meeting of the class, with Mrs. Carlos Pruett presiding. The class made plans to take vases and magazines to the City Hospital this month and also discussed a picnic for the members and their husbands next month.

During the social hour clever diversions were introduced after which homemade ice cream and cookies were passed to sixteen members. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Dowdy were Mesdames Douglas McNutt, D. J. Johnson, Joe Allen, Stewart Jernigan and Barney Boone.

MRS. SHUMAKER IS BRIDGE HOSTESS.

Mrs. Moses Shumaker entertained with a bridge luncheon Wednesday in her attractive home on West Howell Street. Rosebuds were used to decorate the card suite where five tables were arranged. Attractive place cards were matched with the guests' individual corsages and a refreshing summer lunch was served in three courses.

During the afternoon contract was played, favors going to Mrs. Lyman Robinson, Mrs. Bill Finney and Mrs. Walter Price, Jr., of San Antonio.

EVA LEE YOUNG TO WED D. WARREN CRAIK, AUGUST 3.

Mrs. Karl Talkington entertained with a lovely tea Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 6 at her home on South Parker Street at which time she announced the engagement of Miss Eva Lee Young of this city to D. Warren Craik of Lawrence, Kansas. The wedding will take place August 3 at 3 o'clock at the Little-Chapel-in-the-Woods, at Texas State College for Women, Denton, with Dr. R. A. Clifton, Pastor of the First Baptist Church this city, officiating.

Guests attending the announcement were met at the door by little Miss Dolores Shepheard of Fort Worth, niece of the hostess, who passed miniature slates upon which was written the wedding date.

Receiving with Mrs. Talkington and the bride-to-be, were Mrs. C. J. Young, Mother of the honoree, Miss Eloise Young, her sister; Mrs. George P. Fischer of Denton and Mrs. King Barnett of Decatur, aunts of the bride-to-be.

Members of the houseparty included Misses Lois Johnson, Tommy Walden, Alma Shaw, Pauline Carr, Ruth Bewley, and Mrs. H A. McIntire. Miss Rae Nell Strickland, presided over the guest book at which about a hundred guests registered. Mrs. Dick Blair of Denton, aunt of the bride, was among the out-of-town guests.

Refreshing frozen fruit punch was served with small ring-shaped cakes, which were embossed with lilies-of-the-valley. The silver punch bowl was placed in the center of the lace covered tea table. Clusters of white sweetpeas and fern were entwined around the base of the bowl. Elsewhere in the house a profusion of vari-colored zinnias and other summer flowers were used.

Miss Young is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Young. She is a graduate of the T. S. C. W. at Denton and the past year taught in the Home Economics department of the High school and Junior College at Ranger.

Mr. Craik, is the son of Mrs. Elva M. Craik of Lawrence, Kansas. He holds an M. A. degree from the University of Kansas and is now head of the science department in the Ranger Junior College.

Several parties are being planned in honor of Miss Young.

Mrs. G. M. Willis and little son, "Red" Willis, are home after a visit with Mrs. Willis' sister, Mrs. J. W. Wakeland, in [illegible]

Enthusiastic Meeting Of Women's Department Red Cross Chapter Is Held At Coliseum; 80 Attend

In response to a county-wide appeal by the women's department of the local Red Cross chapter, an enthusiastic meeting was held at the work room in the Coliseum Tuesday afternoon. About eighty women were present as were also Prof. W. S. Smith, Chairman of the Collin County Red Cross and Messrs. Ed Gibson and Henry W. Werden of the official board.

The object of the meeting was to create renewed interest in Red Cross defense work among Collin County women and also to bring about a closer association of those working for a common cause.

Mrs. Henry Shoape, General Chairman of the women's department, presided and spoke of the need of cooperation in view of the serious emergency, reminding those present of the enormous amount of work which will be required to finish more than 5,000 garments included in the new quota by the fifteenth of December, 1941.

The total number of garments from previous quotas and shipped to Britain up to date has been 1,751.

Mrs. W. T. Hoard, chairman of sewing, explained the work of her department and Mrs. R. F. Newsome, Chairman of knitting gave a report of the program in her branch.

Mrs. Sims Cameron, Assistant Chairman of Knitting, stressed the importance of regular attendance of the Supervisors at the work room at their appointed hours. Two new volunteer Supervisors are Mrs. Walter Lewis on Thursday afternoon and Mrs. E. C. Ballam, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Cecil Stevens, Chairman of Home Nursing announced plans for organizing Home nursing classes to be started in the near future.

Mrs. T. M. Scott, Chairman of Publicity suggested that news reporters in the county towns include Red Cross items of interest from their communities.

The following towns including McKinney were represented: Anna, Allen, Farmersville, Frisco, Melissa, Plano, Princeton and Westminster.

The large attendance on this occasion establishes the fact that women everywhere are beginning to realize the importance of personal service in the present emergency. Your Red Cross in Collin County needs you in its effort to accomplish its share in the relief of a stricken people.

Aged Citizen Of Denton County Dies Wednesday

At the age of 86, Joe L. Grissom, prominent retired farmer of Denton County, died at his home in the Trinity Community at 2:45 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. He was born and reared in Denton County and spent his entire life there. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Grissom, pioneer Texans. He spent the last years of his life in the Trinity Community, near Denton. He was an active member of the Trinity Methodist Church. His parents and wife, two sons and one daughter preceded him in death.

The deceased is survived by five sons, George, Gilbert, Bush and Gude Grissom, all of Denton, and Lane Grissom, of Abilene, and one daughter, Mrs. Mae Howell, of Fort Worth. He also leaves fourteen grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Mr. Grissom was born in the Boliver Community, Denton County, April 10, 1855.

Funeral services were conducted at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Trinity Methodist Church by Rev. A. Gunnell, the Pastor. Interment followed in the Boliver Cemetery. Pallbearers were: David Mulkey, Charles Gray, Otis Reed, Pete Wilson, Walter Jose, Fred Dutton, Charles Price and Cluran Wallace. The Crouch Funeral Home of McKinney had charge of the burial.

"Deposit Your Aluminum Here" Container Ready

"Deposit Aluminum Here For National Defense," is the significant sign that appears on the side of a large auto trailer stationed on the East Side of the Public Square and placed there by the Junior Chamber of Commerce in preparation for the Aluminum drive, which starts Monday. According to City Commissioner Lyman D. Robinson, the trailer was furnished by J. W. McKinney, well known garage man of McKinney, and the sideboards were added to the trailer by "Red" Willis, Volunteer Fireman. The trailer will hold a large quantity of aluminum articles and the Jaycees hope it will be filled before the campaign is over next week. In the meantime, those who wish to donate aluminum kitchen utensils before the drive begins are requested to drive by and deposit them in this trailer.

While the Jaycees are busy in McKinney next week, Committees of prominent business and professional men and women in other sections of Collin County will be waging a similar campaign under the General Direction of County Judge H. H. Neilson, with the Mayor in each city and town in the county serving as local Chairman.

Committees of the Jaycees will canvass the entire City of McKinney, going from house to house and according to well-laid plans, not a family will be overlooked.

"We are going to do a jam-up job of this," said Clyde Doyle, Campaign Chairman, appointed by Marvin Collins, Jaycee President, "and we hope for and expect the hearty cooperation of every man, woman and child in McKinney. Our Country needs aluminum for airplane manufacture in the great task of preparing for our Nation's defense. I am sure the good Americans in McKinney will respond generously and wholeheartedly."

17 Women's Clubs Of City Begin USO Drive Here

Starting Thursday morning the ladies of seventeen Clubs in McKinney are conducting a two-day intensive canvass of the residential districts of the city, soliciting funds for the USO. Mrs. Willa Largent, President of the City Federation, is General Chairman in charge of the drive. Other clubs are taking part, in addition to the twelve member clubs of the Federation.

In every case where the President of a Club is in the city this week, Mrs. Largent has appointed the President to head the block committee, but where some of the ladies happened to be away, the Vice Presidents were chosen.

It is the plan not to overlook a single home in the city, and where people are not home when the committee calls a second call will be made later, Mrs. Largent said.

McKinney's quota for the National USO fund is $1,500 and Collin County's share is $3,750. A. H. Eubanks, County USO Chairman, believes these quotas for the City and County will be raised without difficulty. While the ladies are canvassing the residential districts the men continue to solicit the business section. In addition, many have called at the Central National Bank and left their contributions with Mr. Eubanks.

Mrs. Largent feels confident that the ladies will raise their share of the city's quota.

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Women Are Assigned.

Following are the Women's Clubs, the Chairmen who will direct the work of each club's committee, and the blocks to which they are assigned:

Halcyon Club, Mrs. Bill Finney, President; Tennessee Street and cross streets West to Kentucky.

Pierian Club, Mrs. C. G. Comegys, President; Kentucky Street and cross streets West to Church.

Entre Nous, Mrs. H. H. Nelson, Vice President; Church Street and cross streets West to Benge.

En Avant Club, Mrs. Herman White, President; Benge Street and cross streets West to College, excepting Hunt and Lamar.

Thalian Club, Mrs. M. S. Minton, President; Beginning on Benge Street and on Lamar and Hunt Streets to Waddill.

Art Club, Mrs. T. E. Craig, President; Coleman Street to Josephine and Josephine to Oak.

Junior Edelweiss, Miss Veyetta Alexander, President; College Street and cross streets, excepting Hunt and Lamar, West to Bradley.

Edelweiss Club, Mrs. Roy Caldwell, Vice President; Oak Street and cross streets West to Waddill, excepting Hunt and Lamar.

Junior Owl Club, Miss Polly Snapp, President; South Bradley Street and cross streets West to Waddill and North Bradley and cross streets West to Wadhill and North Bradley and cross streets West to Oak.

Owls Club, Mrs. K. D. Thompson, President; Morris Street and cross streets west to Graves.

Jeanne De Arc Club, Mrs. Wilkins Comegys, Vice President; Waddill Street and cross streets West to Morris.

United Daughters of the Confederacy, Mrs. Wiley McKinney, President; Barnes Street and district West to edge of town.

Sesame Club, Mrs. C. H. Blewett, President; Chestnut Street and cross streets West to Tennessee.

Fanny Finch (South) Ward P.-T. A., Mrs. J. P. Dowell, President; Wilcox Street and cross streets West to Chestnut.

J. L. Geer, (North) Ward P.-T. A., Mrs. Curtis Gibbs, President; Erwin, White, Leland and Pearson Streets.

J. H. Hill (Central) Ward P.-T. A. Mrs. Thomas Hughston, President; Parker Street.

Garden Club, Mrs. T. S. Murphy, President; Greenville, Anthony, Standifer and Fitzhugh Streets and all blocks in that section East of the railroad.

Mrs. Blanche Gilson and daughter, Miss Blanche Gilson of Oakland, California, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dowdy at 1015 Coleman Street. Mrs. Gilson is the Mother of Mrs. Dowdy and Miss Gilson is her sister. They were accompanied here by their nephews, Clark and Dan Gilson.

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History Of USO Is Described At Lions Club Meet

A. H. Eubanks, prominent young McKinney banker and Collin County Chairman of the USO, told the Lions Club members at their weekly luncheon at the First Christian Church Wednesday noon of the brief history of the USO, why it was organized and what the Government and religious and civic organizations intend to accomplish through this nation-wide body.

Mr. Eubanks stressed the point that the USO is a nonsectarian and interdenominational organization backed and sponsored by Jewish, Catholic, Protestant and many other organizations in the United States. Of the vast sum that is to be raised by USO to provide religious, recreational and entertainment facilities adjoining the camps of boys in all branches of the service, Collin County is asked to furnish $3,750, he said, and McKinney's quota is $1,500.00. He expressed confidence that the city's quota would be raised within a few days. He told how the business man had been canvassing the business district of McKinney and how the good ladies of seventeen women's clubs in the city would start out Thursday morning to solicit every home in the residential districts.

Immediately following his talk, which was most interesting and informative, the Lions Club voted $10.00 to the USO fund, and it is known that many of the individual members had already contributed through their business organizations throughout the city.

Dr. C. J. Hicks, Sr., new President of the Club, presided. One guest was introduced, Prof. Glenn Couch, of the L. A. Scott Junior High School, who was introduced by J. W. (Swede) Murry, McKinney High School Coach.

Carlos Pruett and W. G. Proctor constituted the Program Committee for this week's luncheon.

Miss Ruth Crockette of East Tallahassee, Ala., is spending this week in McKinney the guest of her cousins, Mrs. J. Webb Nelson and daughter, Miss Leta Mae Nelson. This is Miss Crockette's first visit to Texas, which she is greatly enjoying. Wednesday evening a picnic was enjoyed in Finch Park, honoring Miss Crockette, at which the following attended: Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Nelson and little son, Danny; Mrs. Nelson, Miss Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cantrell, all of this city; Mrs. Frances Howell and son Chester, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Webb Nelson, all of Anna, and Levi Carruth, of Weston.

Two bowling alleys, new skating rink, wonderful Municipal Swimming Pool, three good Picture Shows, all running on scheduled time, to say nothing about other pleasureable places to go and take up your time. Still, some people say old McKinney is a dull town. Not so.

Everything that a modern Drug Store should have is to be found at Gamble's. Phone 104.

ROYAL AMBASSADORS HOLD MEETING HERE

The Royal Ambassadors of the First Baptist Church met with their Counsellor, Mrs. Karl House, Monday afternoon, with five boys present. They were: Jimmie Wilson, Paul Wilson, Lloyd House, Howell Lee Wallis and Bobbie Joe Powell. After a review of memory work, there was a mission study lesson. Cookies were served. Members of the R. A. will meet Sunday, at which time they will receive their emblems and arm bands, according to their rank.

Miss Juanita Bryant of Garland, who underwent an operation recently at the McKinney City Hospital, was taken home Thursday, greatly improved.

Aluminum Drive Is Successful In McKinney

Captained by Justice of the Peace Clyde Doyle, Chairman of the special committee appointed by President Marvin Collins of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, a Committee of prominent young business men, with the splendid assistance of Boy Scouts, launched a vigorous campaign over the entire city of McKinney Monday, collecting aluminum pots and pans which will be given to the Government to be used in the manufacture of airplanes.

Four trucks were furnished by McKinney business houses, the Collin County Cotton Oil Mill Company, the H. B. Johnson Furniture Company, the Robinson Furniture Company, and the Collin County Motor Company. The city was divided into four districts and the trucks were in charge of R. P. Jones, Bill Finney, Lyman D. Robinson and Clyde Doyle. With each truck six Boy Scouts went along and helped to gather up the alminumware. Housewives responded generously to the nation's call for these articles. Many of the ladies had put the pots and pans out on the front porch, so as to facilitate the work of the men and boys in gathering them up.

All of the articles were dumped into the wire bin on the Public Square, where they can be seen by passersby.

The nation-wide drive for aluminum is to continue all this week and Mr. Doyle requests that all persons who desire to donate to the cause, but who have not yet done so, bring the utensils down to the Square and throw them into the bin.

County Judge H. H. Neilson, who is County Shairman of the aluminum drive, having been appointed by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel, said Monday he had not heard from any of the Committees that he had appointed for every city and town in Collin County. In most cases the Mayors of the towns were to serve as Chairman in their respective communities.

Those who conducted the McKinney drive were loud in their praises of the Boy Scouts who they said did some splendid work. The Committee also wishes to thank the housewives and all others who assisted in the campaign.

Panama Canal Is Closed To All Merchant Ships

Because of "urgent repairs" needed on the Panama Canal, this great waterway which reduces the travel from the Pacific to the Atlantic, has been temporarily closed to merchantmen by order of the United States Government, according to Sumner Wells, Acting Secretary of State.

Japanese merchant ships were the first affected. They were compelled to proceed Southward and around the Horn. It was not revealed if all freight shipments would be affected and neither was it said how long the canal will be closed to foreign shipping.

In a statement issued Monday night Acting Secretary Wells announced that this Government had evidence that Germany was getting ready to move into other free nations, gave rise to speculation that they might include Spain, Portugal and Northern Africa. If such moves were made by the Nazis, "it can be seen that those countries would be covered quickly," remarked Gen. George C. Marshall, Army Chief of Staff, in testifying on Selective Service legislation before the Senate Military Affairs Committee.

Congress was asked Monday by President Roosevelt to declare a National Emergency under which he could retain on duty Selectees, National Guardsmen and Reservists, and in both houses the members began deliberation. These men were intended to serve one year when the Selective Service Act was enacted. Just how long they will serve now is not indicated.

Over in Europe it is still very hazy as to what is happening. While the Russians report little change in the battle line on the Eastern Front, the Nazis claim the destruction of 90,000 Red soldiers and the capture of Stalin's eldest son, Jacob, who is said to have given himself up to German Panzer troops.

A report from Shanghai circulated by Japanese agencies said the Free French and Allies were preparing to stage a coup to take control of French Indo-China. It has been believed by both British and American circles in Shanghai that Japan would use the German-Russian conflict as an excuse to strengthen its hold on Indo-China where it already has strong bases in the North.

In reprisal for the action of the Bolivian Government in declaring German Minister Ernst Wendler persona non grata because of alleged subversive activities, German authorities given the Bolivian Charge d'Affairs in Berlin seventy-two hours to leave Germany. The Bolivian official is Alfredo Flores.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mills and children, Jack and Buddie, of Tulsa Springs, Oklahoma, spent last week-end in McKinney visiting relatives and friends. Jack and Buddie are spending several weeks with their grandmother, Mrs. Della Nelson, here.

Gulf Company's Public Address System Is Here

A much appreciated addition to the Picnic-Reunion this week, for the convenience of speakers and those who make the various announcements, will be the public-address system which will be furnished by the Gulf Oil Corporation of Houston. It is being brought here through the efforts of M. C. Johnson, local distributor of Gulf Products. This is one of the most modern devices now in use. It is mounted on a large truck and will be located at the bandstand. An experienced announcer accompanied the truck and will remain here throughout the week.

This sound truck is being furnished without charge and the courtesy of the Gulf Oil Corporation is greatly appreciated by officers of the Confederate Ceterans' and Old Settlers' Picnic and Reunion organiation.

Jesse R. Norris, War Veteran, Passes Away

Jesse R. Norris, 46 years old, native of Collin County and a resident of this county all of his life with the exception of the time he served overseas in the A. E. F., died at the Veteran's Hospital in Waco Monday evening. He had been ill for twelve years and had spent the last two years in the Veteran's Hospital.

Mr. Norris was born at Bois d'Arc, West of McKinney, December 14, 1894, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Norris. He was an active member of the Presbyterian Church at Walnut Grove and also of the American Legion. He is survived by his father, W. M. Norris and J. R. Norris, Melissa, and the following brothers and sisters: Walter Norris, McKinney, Route 1; A. B. Norris, Albuquerque, N. M.; V. C. Norris, Frisco; Mrs. W. C. Welch, Dallas; Mrs Nell Davis, Los Angeles, Calif; Mrs. Thelma Andrews, Dallas; Mrs. Birdie Moore, Duncan, Okla.; and Mrs. Geneva Mills, Dallas. His mother, one son, a brother and sister preceded him in death.

The body was brought to McKinney by the Crouch Funeral Home Tuesday and funeral services were conducted at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Crouch Chapel by Rev. Jess Bolin of Frisco. Interment followed in Bethel Cemetery The pallbearers were: Clifford Wood, P. C. Norris, Joe Wood, J. R. Wood, Marvin Norris and Johnnie Mills.

Attend Rotary District Meet In Grand Saline

City Commissioner Lyman D. Robinson, President of the McKinney Rotary Club, and Dr. J. M. Hooper are in Grand Saline Tuesday attending the 126th Rotary District Convention of Presidents and Secretaries. Mr. Robinson is a member of the Balloting Committee, other members being Dr. Madison Ragland of Gilmer and Hermon Custard of Cleburne. Mayor John C. Calhoun of Corsicana, District President, presided at the meeting.

Boy Scouts Get Treat By W. H. Hames Shows

A fine patriotic gesture was made by the W. H. Hames Carnival Company which is playing here this week when they presented to all of the 24 Boy Scouts who helped with the aluminum drive Monday free passes to all of the shows and riding devices at the Picnic Grounds.

The tickets were given to Clyde Doyle, Chairman of the Aluminum Drive for the Jaycees, who distributed them among the boys.

Newt Capps, Former Anna Resident, Dies At Home In Kyle

The funeral of Newt Capps, former resident of Anna, who died Saturday at his home in Kyle, was held in Highland Cemetery Monday afternoon. He leaves a wife and several children. Mrs. Bertha Combest of Melissa is a daughter of the deceased and C. A. and S. L. Morgan of Anna are cousines.

Mrs. C. J. Hicks, who has been under treatment at the McKinney City Hospital, was taken to her home, 417 West Louisiana Street, Monday. She is now convalescing, her host of friends will be pleased to learn.

W. S. Shuman and granddaughter, Miss Mildred Wilson, formerly of McKinney, but who now live at College Station, are spending a week visiting relatives in this city and Denton. Mr. Shuman is well known in Collin and Denton Counties. He still retains property in McKinney.

City Commission Holds Meeting Tuesday Night

The City Commission met Monday night at the City Hall with Mayor Tom W. Perkins, Commissioners Lyman D. Robinson and J. H. Snapp and City Secretary G. Frank Wolford, present. A two-hours' session was held and mostly routine business was transacted. It was decided to give all City employes a half day holiday Wednesday, McKinney Day. The Waterworks Department was ordered to put down water line on West Street, in order to give new homes water connections. The City Tax Rate will soon be set, probably at the next meeting of the Commission. Much Street and other work is being done all over the city.

Livestockmen And Families Guests Lone Star Dairy

Fully a hundred members and their wives and families attended the outing and barbecue feast of the Collin County Pure Bred Livestock Association, held Saturday afternoon at the Lone Star Dairy Farm, Northeast of McKinney. Everyone agreed it was one of the most enjoyable occasions held this summer. Claud Graves, Proprietor of the Farm, who boasts a splendid dairy herd, proved himself a perfect host. There were all kinds of barbecued meats and all of the trimmings to tempt the palate of everyone.

There was no formal program, but short talks were made by County Commissioners George Dalton, J. G. St. Clair and Ralph Bedell, who were introduced by Joe C. Moore, President of the Livestock Association. Prof. J. T. (Doe) Rollins, Vocational-Agriculture Instructor at McKinney High School, also spoke, as well as others. W. Hammond Moore, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and the Collin County Free Fair Association, presented J. M. Slaughter, of Melissa, who will be Superintendent of the Horticultural Division of the Collin County Free Fair this Fall.

Following the feast the livestockmen and their families were shown over the Lone Star Farm.

The fifth and last in the series of the outdoor monthly meetings will be held with President Joe C. Moore of the Association next month.

Rev. Patton Is Sunday Speaker At Dallas Church

Rev. Earl J. Patton, Pastor of the First Methodist Church of McKinney, occupied the pulpit of the First Methodist Church in Dallas Sunday morning and delivered a forceful sermon on the subject: "Beyond the Horison."

Rev. Angie Smith, Pastor of the Dallas Church, was on his vacation and Rev. Patton was invited as the guest minister.

At the First Church in McKinney Sunday morning Dr. S. H. C. Burgin, District Superintendent of this District of the Metnodist Church, took Rev. Patton's place in the local pulpit.

Hanna Family Reunion Held At Finch Park

A very pleasant day was spent by the Hanna Family at their reunion in Finch Park here Sunday. Those attending included Mrs. Ida Hanna of Konowa, Oklahoma, Mrs. Oscar Merrell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hanna and family, of Konowa, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hanna, of Anna, Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Kerley and son, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson of Blue Ridge, Mrs. Allie Blair of Huntsville, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hanna and family of McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Compton of Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Noles of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Price and daughters, Lena and Bonnie, of Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Denner Price of Rowlett.

Cards Received From Johnsons

An attractive card has just been received by these Editors from Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Johnson, who are spending a few weeks at Eagle Nest, New Mexico. Mr. Johnson is President of the Collin County National Bank. Accompanying them on the vacation are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Heathington, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Westmoreland and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kirkpatrick They expect to return about August 1 and the Johnsons report they are all having a most enjoyable vacation.

Paula Kathryn and Jackie Smith, children of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Smith, submitted to tonsil operations Monday morning at the Wysong Clinic. They are doing nicely.

CULLEOKA, PLANO YOUNG MEN FIRST FROM COLLIN COUNTY TO BE DRAWN IN LOTTERY

James Thomas Lemley of Culleoka was the first 21-yeaed-old boy registered in Board No. 1 and Grant Davis Thompson of Plano was the first in Board No. 2, drawn in the second lottery conducted at Washington Thursday under the direction of Brig. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Deputy Director of Selective Service. The second Collin County registrant drawn in Board No. 1 was Frank Lee Williams of Farmersville and the second in Board No. 2 was Neville Thomas Applebee of Celina.

All the 270 boys in Collin County were drawn, and as it happened the first and last drawn in Board No. 2 was from Plano. The last one, No. 118, was Quincie Adams Lipscomb of Plano.

There were 152 drawn in Board No. 1, of which T. B. Sisco is chief Clerk, and 118 in Board No. 2, of which Ula Saunders is the Chief Clerk.

The drawing from the famous gold-fish bowl determined the order in which 750,000 young men, who registered July 1, will be subject to call into the nation's peacetime army. From latest news from Washington it appears that these young men, along with more than two hundred others who have left Collin County for service, will remain in training for more than a year, as was first intended.

RECOGNITION IS GIVEN THE McKINNEY HIGH SCHOOL BAND

Young musicians of the McKinney High School Band are justly proud of the recognition they have received from the Texas Music Educators Association. Prof. Stewart Jernigan has just received from the Association a beautiful metal plaque and sixteen medals for individual members of the band.

The plaque is engraved, making known the fact that the McKinney High Band won second rating in Class B in the Third District contest held at Denton last Spring. This was the concert in which the local band played in concert in sight reading with bands from all over the State. There were only two other bands that took first rating and surpassed the McKinney boys and girls.

All of the medals and the plaque will be placed on display in one of the windows of the Gamble Drug Store. The McKinney boys and girls won the individual medals in both of the contests held at Denton and Waco, the latter being a Southwestern contest with competing High Schools from several States.

Prof. Jernigan is receiving congratulations from many parents of students and others who have been following the splendid progress made by the High School Band. In the contest, at Denton it proved itself one of the finest musical organizations among the High Schools of this section of Texas. Prof. Jernigan, himself, attended the McKinney public schools and is a McKinney High School graduate. He is considered a most capable and efficient band director.

FIFTEENTH ANNUAL LYNN FAMILY REUNION ENJOYED

The fifteenth annual Lynn family reunion was held Sunday at Finch park, with about 250 relatives and friends present. The occasion was started in honor of N. V. and Sara Dickens Lynn, now deceased. Mrs. J. W. Godwin of Princeton, who is 86 years old, is the only one of the elder members of the family still living, and she has about a hundred descendants, most of whom were at the reunion Sunday. Five generations of her family were present for the day.

Relatives from out-of-the-county who attended included Mrs. Elga Phillips of Greenville; Mr. and Mrs. Newt Godwin of Kerrville, Elbert Barrington of Wichita Falls and Silbie Anderson of Oklahoma. A sumptuous lunch was served at the noon hour and a program of music, singing and talks enjoyed during the afternoon. The reunion is held every year the second Sunday in July.

4,000-Mile Motor Trip To Several States Enjoyed By McKinneyites

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hughes of this city and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Armyn McKinney, of Dallas have returned from a four thousand mile motor trip. They went by way of New Mexico, Colorado Springs, Denver and the beautiful snow covered trail ridge road up to Estes Park. From there they continued their way to Yellowstone National Park via Cheyenne. They stayed there several days, enjoying Yellowstone Lake abounding in mountain trout; Old Faithful geyser, noted for its regular eruptions every sixty-five minutes. The National Park Service provides free guides and lectures at important centers.

While in the Park, Mr. Hughes was bitten by a mountain bear. However, it did not prove serious.

From Wyoming the party traveled to Montana and from there on down through the Black Hills of South Dakota. It is a region of beautiful drives, Canyons, gorges and lakes. Here they saw Mt. Rushmore National Memorial, out of the granite of which mountain are busts of Washington, Lincoln, Jefferson and Roosevelt, being cut under the direction of the noted sculptor, scaledas for a man 468 feet tall.

They passed through what is known as the Bad Lands, caused by the wearing away of the strata, and caused one of the richest of nature's fossil storehouses.

From South Dakota their journey was through Minnesota and Iowa, into Nebraska. While in Omaha they visited the famous Boys Town, ten miles west of Omaha and founded in 1918 by Rev. E. J. Flanagan for lonely and homeless boys. There are about 375 boys here.

Continuing their trip, they traveled through Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma. The weather was ideal throughout the trip, making it a most enjoyable one for all.

Mr. McKinney is connected with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, for the past eleven years, moving to Dallas four years ago where they have a new home at 6055 Martel Ave., in the new Wilshire Park addition. His wife is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hughes.

Mrs. Miriam S. Dailey Observes 89th Birthday

Mrs. Miriam S. Dailey recently celebrated her eighty-ninth birthday at her home in the Warden Community near Weston. She was born in Burkesville, Ky., a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Pentecost. She was married Dec. 25, 1870, in Celina, Tenn., to Alexander Dailey, who died Sept. 22, 1906.

Living children of the couple are Miss America Dailey, who makes her home with her Mother, John G. Dailey of Van Alstyne and Joe P. Dailey of Waco. There are 10 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

In 1882 Mrs. Dailey, her husband and two children moved from Tennessee to Jackson, Mo., in a covered wagon drawn by oxen. During that year they sold the wagon and oxen and began the trip to Texas by railroad. They arrived in Van Alstyne Jan. 8, 1883, and were met by Dr. S. D. Moore, who took them to the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Moore.

After working and saving for some time the couple bought and paid for the present home, 45 years ago. When her husband died she was left with five children to care for, but managed to keep the family together.

In 1923 Mrs. Dailey bought a house in Van Alstyne and moved to it with her single children. In 1930, after the death of a son, she sold out and moved back to the present home. She says she expects to spend the rest of her days there. Her eyesight is growing dim but she can still get about, work in her garden and do the churning.

Mrs. Dailey relates that her father, who was a Justice of Peace, made shoes for his family. She has one living brother, John William Pentecost, of West Plains, Mo.

Wilson Chapel Cemetery Will Be Cleaned

Mrs. E. L. Taylor of this city announces an all-day working at the Wilson Chapel Cemetery Tuesday, July 29. All those who have loved ones and friends buried there are urged to be present with working materials to assist in this worthwhile program. The ladies will bring along well-filled baskets, and dinner will be spread at noon for all workmen.

Mrs. Taylor says that after the working plans will be made to hire someone to take care of that cemetery throughout the year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reddell recently visited their son, Harold Reddell, who is in aviation school at Spartan Field, Tulsa, Okla.

A. C. Myrick, who lives at Blue Ridge, was brought to the McKinney City Hospital Tuesday afternoon and is undergoing treatment.

Patriotic Theme Prevails At Meet Production Credit

Patriotism predominated at the regular meeting of the Officers and Directors of the McKinney Production Credit Association held in McKinney Tuesday. The meeting convened in the forenoon and continued all day, ending with an old-fashioned picnic in Finch Park that night.

One of the first actions to be taken was the decision to cooperate with the Government in the sale of defense bonds and stamps and hereafter they will be on sale at the main office on East Virginia Street in McKnney and all of the five field offices in this district. It was also voted to match any donations made to the USO by all employes of the Association.

Another important action was the election of Worley Smith as Assistant Secretary-Treasurer, to succeed Wre Sutherland, who resigned to accept an important position with the Production Credit Corporation in Houston. Mr. Smith has been bookkeeper for the local association since January 1, having come here from Prosper, where he was employed in the Prosper State Bank for about three years. Mr. Smith is a Collin County boy and last January, shortly after moving to McKinney, married a McKinney girl, Miss Frances Douglas. They live at 508 Foote Street.

A great amount of routine business was transacted by the Board of Directors. Present were George Becker of Kaufman, President; W. A. McCoy of Dallas, Vice President; W. L. Glazener, of McKinney, Secretary-Treasurer and Manager of the main office in this city; J. L. Ladd of Sherman, F. W. Underwood of Honey Grove and O. L. Cantrell of McKinney.

The picnic at Finch Park Thursday night was an enjoyable affair and forty-five Officers, Directors and employes and their families attended, all bringing baskets filled with good things to eat. A pleasant feature of the picnic was the presentation of a traveling bag to Mr. Sutherland, who had just resigned and who had served the Association most efficiently for the past three years.

Roosevelt Hints That Japanese May Push South

Speculation was rife in Washington Tuesday night as to whether the Japanese were preparing to move South, making their first objective Indo-China when it was learned from Vichy, in unoccupied France, that negotiations on French Indo-China were in progress with the Tokyo Government. President Roosevent announced that he had learned from reliable sources that the Japs had put into effect a stringent censorship on all cable and radio messages.

In Paris, in the meantime, the French newspaper, Les Nouveaux, which has advocated French collaboration with Hitler, urged that France work with Japan for the "protection of Indo-China, lest France lose that territory altogether."

At his press conference, President Roosevelt told the newsmen that this country would take further steps to prevent any German infiltration into Latin America.

While both Germany and Russia continue to make conflicting claims regarding the war on the Russian front, it was admitted in Moscow Wednesday morning that a large force of Nazi bombers swooped over Moscow, the Russian Capital, Tuesday and wrecked a number of buildings, including a hospital and school and killed and wounded scores of civilians.

A graphic story of how they drifted in a lifeboat for twelve days and eleven nights after their ship had been torpedoed by a German submarine in the North Atlantic and after they had refused to board the submarine for safety, was told by four American Red Cross nurses upon arrival in Norfolk harbor on a United States transport rescue ship. The nurses had been bound for England to assist in war relief work. The ship they were on was carrying a cargo of cotton, oil and two bombers. Following a foggy night, the nurses said, their vessel was torpedoed just as the fog lifted early in the morning and the ship sank in six or eight minutes. They and the crew of the lifeboat defied the German submarine commander who spoke perfect English, they said. The ship was sunk about 400 miles off the coast of Greenland.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Nolen, who live on Route 1, Nevada, are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine baby boy, born at the McKinney City Hospital Tuesday afternoon. Both Mother and baby are reported doing well Wednesday.

Mrs. Roger Kerr of Chambersville was brought to the McKinney City Hospital early Wednesday morning in a Harris ambulance. She is now undergoing medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Neville Talkington, left Sunday for a week's visit with relatives at Cristoval, Texas. They were accompanied by Mrs. Talkington's mother and sister, Mrs. C. D. Howard and Miss Lola Belle Howard of Corsicana.

T. A. Hughston To Washington For OPM Conference

T. A. HUGHSTON

T. A. Hughston of Dallas, for many years a prominent McKinney business man, and Mrs. Hughston, left Thursday afternoon for Washington where Mr. Hughston and two other Texans have been invited to confer with O. P. M. officials in regard to the production of cotton seed and linters for national defense.

Mr. Hughston is Assistant General Manager of the Dallas Oil and Refining Company, moving to Dallas seven years ago from McKinney. He was Manager of the Collin County Cotton Oil Company here, being succeeded by his son, T. H. Hughston.

Mr. Hughston is the retiring President of the Texas Cotton Seed Crushers Association. He is very active in this Association and one of the authorities in this field of work, as will be attested to by his invitation to go to Washington to confer with officials of the Office of Porduction Management concerning his business as it regards national defense.

Miss Maurine Faulkner Will Teach In Mexico

Miss Maurine Faulkner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Faulkner of this city, left Sunday for Saltillo, Mexico, where she will teach in summer school for the next month. Miss Faulkner is in the Spanish Department of T. S. C. W. at Denton, fifty-nine students of that school accompanying her to Saltillo for the summer course. This is the first Texas State College for Women's Summer School South of the Rio Grande, where the students will study and vacation from July 16 to August 12.

Activities of the summer school will be opened by the Governor of the State of Coahuila Thursday morning in the Paraninfo of the Ateneo Fuente, large Mexican college in Saltillo. Students will live and attend classes in the Hotel Casa Colonial and a large private Mexican home near by with both buildings devoted entirely to the school during the term. A social affair in one of Saltillo's leading social centers will honor students August 9. On August 6 the group will attend an annual Indian celebration near Saltillo and other entertainment will include visits in private Mexican homes where typical Mexican folk entertainment and music will be enjoyed; also visits to nearby dude ranches.

The Governor of Coahuila will officially close the school August 11. Optional to the students will be an excursion to Monterrey and an extension trip to Mexico City after the school closes.

Miss Faulkner has visited in Mexico on several occasions, having recently returned from a trip there this summer. She has been teaching at T. S. C. W. for the past few years.

Cool, refreshing fountain drinks and lunches at Gambles. Phone 104.

LYMAN ROBINSON NEW McKINNEY ROTARY HEAD.

(Van Alstyne Leader).

Lyman D. Robinson, McKinney City Commissioner and furniture dealer, has been installed as the new president of the McKinney Rotary Club. Mr. and Mrs. R inson attended the International Rotary Convention at Denver recently to which Mr. Robinson was the McKinney official delegate.

Mr. Robinson is a son of Mrs. George Robinson of Van Alstyne, and has a host of friends here who will be glad to know of his popularity.

W. E. Bonham, Jr., has returned to Camp Bowie after a visit with his parents here.

The children of Mrs. W. T. Robinson of Chambersville surprised her with a birthday dinner Sunday and gave her a lovely chest of silver as a birthday gift. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Claud Robinson and family of Melissa. Mr. and Mrs. Ott Robinson of Prosper, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Robinson and family; Mr. and Mrs. Sport Robinson and family of Sherman; Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Jordon and family of Plano; Mr. and Mrs. Moss Connor and family; Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Love of McKinney and Miss Margaret Dyer of Greenville.

RITZ

Friday and Saturday—
"MAN HUNT"
Joan Bennett and Walter Pidgeon

Saturday Midnight—
"THE BRIDE WORE CRUTCHES"
Lynn Roberts and Robert Armstrong

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday—
"BLOOD AND SAND"
Tyrone Power and Linda Darnell

Wednesday and Thursday—
"THAT UNCERTAIN FEELING"
Merle Oberon and Melvyn Douglas

TEXAS

Friday and Saturday—
Gene Autry in
"SUNSET IN WYOMING"
Chapter No. 10—
"Junior G-Men"

Sat. Midnight, Sun. and Mon.—
—DOUBLE FEATURE—
Basil Rathbone and Ellen Drew in
"THE MAD DOCTOR"
Ellen Drew and Red Cameron in
"THE MONSTER AND THE GIRL"

Tuesday and Wednesday—
Joel McCrea in
"FOREIGHN CORRESPONDENT"

Thursday—
Burgess Meredith and Betty Field in
"OF MICE AND MEN"

Murphy Young Man Seriously Hurt In Wreck

Victor Hardy, 61, of 4527 Cabell Drive, Dallas, was killed almost instantly at 4:30 p. m. Wednesday in the splintering crash of two cars on the Old Plano Road and the Cotton Road, East of Richardson.

Mr. Hardy, proprietor of a poultry market, was thrown out of the car head first to the pavement, fracturing his skull. He was driving alone.

Jack B. Miller, 31, of Murphy, salesman for Carpenter Brothers, Ford Dealers, of Plano, lone occupant of the other car, was taken to Baylor Hospital with several ribs broken, cuts on the legs and body.

Mr. Hardy was driving West on the Cotton Road and Miller North on the Old Plano Road.

A passing motorist told a McCallum Funeral Home ambulance driver who answered the call that simultaneously with the accident an airplane was flying very low and he believed the attention of both drivers was distracted.

Mr. Hardy was a member of the John G. Slayter Masonic Lodge.

He is survived by his wife, a son, Bill Hardy, both of Dallas; two brothers, Carl and Ward Hardy, Paris, and two sisters, Mrs. J. M. Clower, Pecan Gap, Delta County, and Mrs. C. E. Ross, Snyder, Scurry County.

Enjoyable Visit To New Mexico And Colorado

J. M. Foster and daughter, Miss Kathryn, have returned from several days' vacation spent in New Mexico and Colorado, having accompanied their nephew and cousin, Cranfil Cox, Jr. and wife of Gilmer on the trip. They visited the famous Carlsbad Caverns in Southeast New Mexico, from which point they drove to Santa Fe and Taos, stopping at historic and scenic points along the way.

They attended an Indian festival in progress at the Indian Pueblo, near Taos, and from there motored to Eagle Nest and through the beautiful Cimmaron Canyon.

In Colorado they stopped in Trinidad and Canon City, visiting the Royal Gorge near the latter city, and from there drove to Manitou and Colorado Springs.

The return route was through the Arkansas valley in the Southeast part of Colorado, through Boise City, Okla., and the Panhandle of Texas, the last day of their vacation being spent in Amarillo. They motored some 2,500 miles on the trip and report a delightful time.

Everything that a modern Drug Store should have is to be found at Gamble's. Phone 104.